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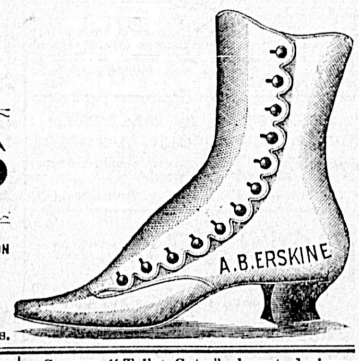

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VICTORIA WEST.
Watson's Store—At the postoffice from 7 to 9:30 p.m., on Monday, 1st inst.
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At store of Mr. John Richards, corner Michigan and Menzies streets, Saturday, 6th Oct., from 7 to 9:30 p.m.
ESQUIMALT.
At Howard's hotel, Friday, 5th Oct., from 5 to 8 p.m.
SPRING RIDGE.
Tuesday, 2nd Oct., from 7 to 9.30 p m.
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Citizens are requested to decorate their buildings and stores on Monday. A prize of $25 will be awarded for the best decorated building and a silver cup, presented by Challoner & Mitchell, to the erectors of the best arch. se30

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Sir John Macdonald Memoirs—General Booth to Have a Civic Welcome.

Appointment of Electrical Inspectors—The Fisheries of Ontario Becoming Depleted.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—Joseph Pope's memoir of Sir John Macdonald will be out at the end of October.

General Booth will be accorded a civic welcome here. Hayter Reed, deputy superintendent of Indian affairs, left for the Coast to-day.

Parkin's letters on Canada in the London Times will be amplified and published in book form.

The report of the Ontario Fish Commissioners states that the fisheries of the province are being depleted.

Ormond Higman, an Ottawa electrician, is to be chief inspector of electric lighting and electric apparatus. The act of last session takes effect April next. The present inspectors of gas will become also inspectors of electric lighting and be instructed in their duties during the coming winter.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AT VANCOUVER.

Lively Discussions on the City Owning and Operating the Plant—An Absorbing Topic.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 29.—(Special)—The electric light by-law shortly to be presented to the city for the purpose of raising $100,000 for the purchase of an electric light plant by the city is still the great topic of conversation, much of the space of the local papers being taken up with this important subject. Last night a large meeting was held at Mt. Pleasant. It was difficult to ascertain which side captured the meeting. Some very forcible and very plausible speeches were made on both sides. The labor council also held a meeting last night, principally for the purpose of passing the following resolution:

"Whereas it is a settled principle of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council that the city should own and operate all its public services; therefore be it resolved that this council endorse the steps taken by the City Council towards undertaking the lighting of the city;—

And further be it resolved that this council emphatically condemn the arguments used by the opponents of the undertaking as being attempts to perpetuate unprincipled monopoly and speculation;

And further be it resolved that the members of this Council pledge themselves to use their utmost influence to have the by-law authorising the undertaking passed by the people.

IMPROVED BUSINESS.

The Fall Trade Opening Well—Money More Plentiful—Steamboat Collision at the Mouth of the River.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 29.—(Special)—The merchants, one and all, agree that there is a notable improvement in the situation; money is more plentiful and the fall trade is opening well. They don't anticipate anything in the shape of a rush but seem to be confident that the improvement will continue.

The steamers May Queen and Swan were in collision near the mouth of the river on Wednesday. The Swan was badly rammed and would have sunk had speed not been made in running her ashore. Repairs are now being made to the injured vessel. The responsibility for the collision has not yet been learned. The May Queen belongs to the Wellington cannery, and the Swan to Capt. Cates of Vancouver.

NANAIMO'S FIRE

Supposed to Have Been Caused by an Incendiary—Recent Experiences Point to This Conclusion.

NANAIMO, Sept. 29.—(Special)—The funeral of Patrick Magee, a victim of yesterday's fire, took place this afternoon. Miss Minnie Corcoran and Carron are both in a very critical condition. The impression prevails that yesterday's conflagration was started by an incendiary. The theory is not without foundation, in view of the peculiar circumstances attending the recent fire in the Central hotel, and also the fire which mysteriously broke out in the International hotel, about which no mention has hitherto been made. The matter will be thoroughly investigated, and no effort spared to locate the perpetrator.

MINNESOTA FIRES.

Especially Severe in the Eastern Part of the State.

DULUTH, Minn., Sept. 29.—The fires in the woods and meadows along the line of Eastern Minnesota are quite severe, and this morning freight trains had difficulty in getting through because of the dense smoke and heat. These fires are worse to the west of Milaca, a short distance east of the former burned district, and a number of farm buildings are in danger near Kerrick, north of Sandstone. The fires were severe last night.

TURKS AND ARMENIANS.

Serious Fight Between Natives and Gens d'Armes.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29.—News has just been given out here of a serious fight at Tokat on September 1 between Armenians and Turkish officials and gens d'armes. The Turks were searching houses for an Armenian fugitive and were resisted by the Armenians, who assembled in force and attacked the gens d'armes. In the ensuing fight several Armenians were killed.

Oysters
In all styles, and game, at the Bank Exchange; popular prices.

VANCOUVER'S COAL

Many People Prospecting—Cautious Men Impressed With the Outlook.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 29.—(Special)—In gard to the published statement that it has not yet leaked out here that coal is to be bored for on lot 540, it may be said that at least ten men gave the customary notice that they would prospect for coal on lot 540, and the announcement has been in the advertising columns of the local papers for the past eight or ten days. There are so many people boring for coal about Vancouver that little attention is paid to an alleged new discovery. Most astounding stories were related about the North Vancouver mine, while newspaper men were entreated not to say anything about the find until it had been sold to an English syndicate. Samples of the coal were brought into the city and pronounced of very superior quality, and this is only one of many instances of the same kind. The late Mr. Dunsmuir said there was no doubt coal in the vicinity of Vancouver but it would be very deep down. Several people were interviewed in reference to the coal found on lot 540. It burned like anthracite coal and gave out an intense heat. Nothing is known as yet positively, but the indications seem to have impressed some pretty cautious and sensible men. The following are among those who are securing licenses to prospect; F. B. Pemberton, Victoria; W. A. Ward, Vancouver; Henry Hall, Vancouver; Geo. Brown, Vancouver; F. W. Hall, Vancouver; A. R. Davies, Vancouver; W. J. Davies, Vancouver; C. W. McGillivary, Vancouver; D. J. Munn, Vancouver; Rankin Dawson, Victoria.

CAN TAKE PEKIN.

Opinion That the Japanese Can Readily Occupy the Chinese Capital.

Modern Weapons Have Not Materially Modified Conditions of Naval Warfare.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The Westminster Gazette reprints Shanghai dispatches to a London news agency stating that vague rumors are circulating that the Japanese forces have effected a landing to northward of Chefoo. A dispatch received from Yokohama to the same agency states that the reserves and imperial guards have been ordered out for duty.

Shanghai dispatches says the Chinese Emperor attributes the recent Chinese defeat to incompetency and corruption. This has caused a panic in the palace, and rendered the position of affairs in China extremely serious.

A Tokio correspondent says: "The commander of the Japanese warship Naniwa reports that in company with the warship Akitsushima, he searched the Gulf of Tairenwan in Manchuria and found the Chinese cruiser Kwank Kai stranded. The Chinese on the approach of the Japanese vessels fired their vessel and fled.

A Port Arthur dispatch says the Japanese fleet has established headquarters in the Gulf of Korea, near the Chinese coast. The Gulf of Pechili is being patrolled by Japanese cruisers.

Later advices from Shanghai state that the Japanese destroyed the stranded Chinese warship Kwang Kai.

A dispatch from Simla to the Times says that the English papers there urge the rush of troops from India to Hong Kong and other treaty ports, as letters have been received reporting a dangerous anti-foreign feeling in these places.

The Times publishes an article by an expert in which the writer compares and collates the Times' advices from Chee Foo and the Central News dispatches from Tokio. The writer concludes that it may be safely affirmed that modern weapons have not materially modified the conditions of naval warfare.

"Japan's next movement," he says, "is now a question of the greatest importance. China's fleet is virtually paralyzed and the Japanese are free to transport a force in any direction. There are two principal courses for them to pursue: First to strike direct for Pekin, and second, to occupy Formosa. Either course is more probable than a march to Moukden. It seems certain that 25,000 Japanese could take Pekin, when Japan could obtain, so far as China is concerned, any terms she is likely to demand. On the other hand, the time available is very short, owing to the approach of winter, and the venture, though not impracticable, would be very risky. A force of 20,000 would suffice to occupy Formosa, and a descent upon that place is certainly among the immediate possibilities. Japan seeks territorial expansion and Formosa offers obvious advantages."

WRECKED NEAR HONOLULU.

Loss of the Iron Bark "Wilcox" Laden With Iron From Middlesborough.

HONOLULU, Sept. 22.—(Per steamer Monowai) The iron bark G. M. Wilcox, was wrecked on the 18th upon the shore of Molokai, about five miles from Honolulu, being carried inshore by the current. The captain and crew landed in two boats at Honolulu early next morning. The ship and cargo are a total loss. The Wilcox was 131 days out from Middlesborough with 2,200 tons of cargo for Honolulu.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Puget Sound Marine Hospital.

PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 29.—Dr. S. B. Conover, ex-Senator for Florida, for the past five years in charge of the U.S. quarantine service on Puget Sound, was removed to-day and his successor qualified. The removal is said to be owing to offensive partisanship. The new physician is Dr. Stimpson, until recently in charge of the U. S. marine hospital district.

For Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Cramps, Colic, Diarrhœa, Dysentery and Summer Complaint, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is a prompt, safe and sure cure that has been a popular favorite for over 40 years.

CABLE ITEMS.

Lord Randolph Churchill in Luck—Bank Clerks Protest Against Female Help.

Interesting Points Relating to R. C. Church Trouble Brewing in Central America.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The clerks of the Bank of England recently held a meeting to protest against the admission into the bank of two batches of female clerks.

Juan Uadarez, a wealthy Spanish banker of the City of Mexico, committed suicide by hanging himself from the street balcony of his house on account of a chronic disease.

Miss Raine, an eccentric lady who died recently, left as a legacy to Lord Randolph Churchill her mansion and estate in Oxfordshire, England, in recognition of his commanding political genius.

At the bishops' conference at Buda-Pesth Friday the primate of Hungary read a letter from the Pope, directing the episcopate to use its efforts with the magnates to obtain modifications of the bill dealing with the religion of children of mixed marriages, but the letter added that the agitation must not take an illegal form.

In view of the fact that the Austro-Hungarian legations have raised the question of the exclusive right, anciently belonging to sovereigns of Spain, France and Austria, to object to the election of any cardinal as pope, a special clause will be added by the Pope to the secret instructions to be given at the coming conclave, in order to frustrate any attempt to revive the right.

There are premonitions of trouble between Mexico and Guatemala, growing out of a dispute over the boundary between the two countries. Guatemala has undertaken to assert sovereignty over a considerable piece of territory lying within the borders of a Mexican state. President Diaz has made a very strong representation of the case to the Mexican congress, and has indicated his intention of vigorously upholding the Mexican claim of jurisdiction.

The last counting of votes in the Norwegian elections shows that the Left has been victorious. The gains were at first thought to have been by the Right, but they have been overcome by the Radicals, the latter having carried the whole of the Chronstjen district which has been regarded as a Conservative stronghold. About half the members of the new storthing are now elected, and a careful analysis discloses that the Left has increased its majority. King Oscar is said to be very much displeased at the way the elections are going.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

N. W. Territory Elections.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 29.—Lieut.-Governor Mackintosh states that he expects to issue a proclamation for the elections in the territories next week, the elections to be held the last week in October.

Life! O! How Precious!

BRAMPTON, Sept. 29.—Sheriff Brody has received a telegram from the Department of Justice announcing that McWhirrell's sentence has been commuted to imprisonment for life. The prisoner was overjoyed on hearing the news, though he said all along that he would rather hang than go to the penitentiary.

Toronto City Assessments.

TORONTO, Sept. 29.—The assessment commissioners have completed their reports. The assessed value of the city the present year is $149,120,000 as against $153,450,606 last year, a reduction of about $4,440,000.

AN ARCHBISHOP'S PROTEST.

He Objects to the Consecration of a Protestant Bishop in Madrid as an Infringement of the Constitution.

MADRID, Sept. 29.—Cardinal Monescillo Viso, Archbishop of Toledo, is about to issue a pastoral letter strongly protesting against the recent consecration of the Protestant Bishop of Madrid on the ground that it infringes the constitution, is an aggression on the rights of the episcopate and clergy, and is likely to lead to religious conflict. The subject of the consecration will be raised in the senate and chamber of deputies, and probably also in the Catholic Congress, which meets in Tarragona in October.

FLORIDA'S CYCLONE.

Damage Not So Great as Reported—Repairs Proceeding.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 29.—Wire communication has been restored to all portions of Florida visited by the storm, and by Monday all damage to the railroads will have been repaired and trains will be running on schedule time. Dispatches tonight from Titusville, Jupiter and other East coast points, where the storm was supposed to have been most severe, state no lives were lost and that the damage to property is not as great as in the storm of last year.

A DOCTOR'S VIEW.

One of the most noted physicians of modern times says: "When the system is surcharged with bile and the liver needs a powerful stimulus to excite it to duty, then it is that we use powerful cathartics to obtain the necessary relief, often attended, however, with prostrating effects," and he might also add, "often causing by their reaction worse constipation and biliousness than before." Now this is not the case with Eseljay's Liver Lozenges. They do not prostrate nor re-act. They act gently yet powerfully. Those troubled with chronic constipation or a bilious habit that has lasted for years, must continue their use for some time; but they will do their work and permanently cure those thus afflicted.

Samoan Situation Aggravated.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—Advices from Samoa by steamer Monowai indicate that affairs are no nearer a settlement.

I X L Carving Set at Cheapside.

VICTORIA'S FAIR.

Pushing Ahead the Preparations for the Grand Opening on Tuesday Next.

An Illumination of the City on Monday Night Will Inaugurate the Celebration.

All yesterday there was a constant stream of traffic up Fort street. Big drays piled with boxes and bales, express wagons filled with packages, buggies, agricultural implements—all were bound in one direction of the agricultural grounds. At the building hundreds of people were busily employed. Carpenters were hammering and sawing; men were unpacking goods and placing them in position. Everyone seemed to have business on hand; even the usual man of "know-it-all" mind was deeply interested in giving free advice and getting in the way, apparently much to his own satisfaction. Most of the stalls are beginning to show in what form they will appear when finished, and it is safe to say that the interior of the building never presented such a handsome array as it will this year. A number of the teachers of the public schools were on hand yesterday arranging the display of the work of the school children. This will include specimens of handwriting, maps, etc., besides a fine exhibit of botanical specimens gathered by the High school pupils.

The agricultural implement show is going to be very large, machinery hall being almost filled already, with more to come.

None of the poultry have yet been placed in the house set apart for them, but the cages were yesterday being got ready for their reception, and it will not take long to place the birds in their positions when they do come. Nor have any cattle put in an appearance yet, as the judging in that section does not begin till Tuesday. A number of horses are, however, already in the stalls.

The main building is so far the chief centre of interest. Everyone who has gone in for the manufacturers' prize feels bound to win, and much ingenuity is shown in the decorations of stalls. The sisters, wives and daughters of the contestants have entered into the spirit of rivalry and many of them are lending their assistance in putting the final touches to pretty decorations.

A great improvement this year is the fitting up of a separate building as a restaurant, where there is accommodation for seating 200 persons. This will give people an opportunity of spending the whole day on the grounds if they desire to take the attractions in in a leisurely and comfortable manner.

Arrangements have been made by the association with the customs department to admit free of duty all exhibits from the American side. They will, of course, be under bond at the grounds, without any inconvenience to the exhibitors.

It would be well for exhibitors to remember that judging in all the departments except live stock and field produce begins on Monday morning.

The association has had shields painted, each having the names of different sections of the province upon it. There is also one for Washington state. They will be hung around the hall.

To-morrow evening the celebration opens with a grand illumination of the city, and the public are invited to assist to the utmost by decorating and illuminating. The finest display will win the $25 prize and the best arch will be awarded a silver cup presented by Challoner & Mitchell. The firemen say their arch on Yates street is going to be a beauty and hard to beat.

Tuesday, Citizens' day, has been declared a public holiday. The exhibition will be formally opened at 2 o'clock by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor. The bicycle meet will be a great attraction in the afternoon and the tug-of-war contests begin in the evening. Besides the baseball match on American day between the Athletics of Seattle and Amities of Victoria, a football match is being arranged between two teams to play for a trophy. The excursionists from Tacoma and the Sound will be hospitably received and everything done to render American day one of the best features of the week.

The Stars play the James Bays at lacrosse on Canada's day (Thursday) and the cricket match will also be played that day.

Friday, Children's day, will be a great success, the singing of choruses by 500 children at the grounds being the special attraction. In some unfortunate way, however, Victoria West had been left out in the cold in so far as the singing is concerned, and the teachers naturally feel their school should not be slighted. All the other children will march in procession to the grounds, but Victoria West will run their own procession, and ride in state to the grounds by train. They have made up their minds if they can't sing they won't walk.

Seven teams at least will take part in the International tug-of-war, which begins Tuesday evening.

Besides the Canadian, English, Scotch, Irish and Finnish teams already announced, there will also be Swedish and English competitors from Nanaimo, and probably another Scotch team. It is expected that an American team will also participate, consequently these pulls should be a powerful attraction. Some of the teams have already been practicing hard, and they all feel confident they can yank the other fellows over the line.

The procession on Societies day (Saturday) will, of course, be a big success now that the different organizations have taken it up.

Archery is to be added to the various sports of the week. The A. O. F. have it in hand, and it should prove a very interesting feature.

COWICHAN AND SALT SPRING.

The Annual Exhibition at Duncan a Complete and Gratifying Success.

Though rain threatened all day, the weather (as everything else) proved most favorable yesterday for the twenty-seventh annual show of the Cowichan and Salt Spring Island Agricultural Society, held at Duncan. Until noon the attendance was rather slim, but in the afternoon the influx of residents of the district and visitors from the city was surprisingly large. Finn's band from Victoria discoursed music on the grounds during the day. From this city also were the Hon. Premier and Mrs. Davie, Mayor Teague and several other prominent citizens and business men. Comparing the show with those of other years it may be said that the exhibits all round were noticeably better, the improvement in quality of the products of the district being most marked. The horses exhibited would have been a credit to a fair anywhere. Cattle, too, were mainly high grade and all very fine looking animals, many being imported stock. There was also a good exhibit of pigs, b... stock was not equal in qu... ity. The poultry show ... ly light.

In the show hall, all ... was occupied, conspic... its there was the re... play, rich in colo... miration it re... of experi... one of ... of ... als... tu... y... for farming operations on the low- and this fact was strongly evidenced ... root exhibit at this show. Large fruits were better represented than the small. The displays of both, however, well indicated the suitability of the climate of the island to the raising of the choicest of fruits. Vegetables occupied a prominent place in the hall and were also worthy of special mention.

The prizes in all lines were keenly contested for, especially in the ladies' department, and the fine needlework, baking, etc., exhibited were, to say the least, most creditable.

In the sporting events of the day the hurdle jumping filled well and produced an exciting contest, with seven or eight horses participating. One was ridden by a lady, whose expert equestrianship attracted much attention. The prize lists are as follows:

Horses.

Pure bred stallion, draft, any age, having travelled the district, G. T. Corfield.

Draft Brood Mare, with foal at foot. P. McLay 1; G. T. Corfield, 2

Saddle horse, Mrs. Skinner; special, H. Maitland-Dougal.

Three-year-old colt or filly. P. Flett, 1; J. T. Corfield, 2.

Two-year colt or filly. P. B. Johnston, 1; W H. Elkington, 2.

One year colt or filly. G. T. Corfield.

Hurdle Jumper. R. E. Barkley, 1; special—W. H. Simpson, 1; Miss Brown, 2.

Buggy Horse. C. Price.

Pony, ridden by child under 14. P. B. Johnston, 1; Mrs. D. Alexander, 2.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By G. T. Corfield—Foal from Mr. Corfield's grey Percheron—G. T. Corfield, 1; R. McLay, 2.

By C. Bazett—General purpose (which has not previously taken first prize as such)—W. H. Elkington.

By Matthews, Richards & Tye—Next best general purpose, C Price.

By H. Salmon—Light brood mare, with foal at foot—H. Evans.

By F. Norris—Single turnout—Dr. Dickinson.

By Messrs. Braund & Co.—Double turnout—F. Maitland-Dougal

By E. A. Morris—Heavy team—G. T. Corfield.

Cattle.

Pure bred Jersey bull, over 1 year—A. Rogers, 1; G. T. Corfield, 2.

Pure bred Holstein bull over one year, G. T. Corfield, 1 and 2.

Pure bred Shorthorn cow, James Evans.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By E. G. Prior & Co.—Pure bred Jersey cow, W. P. Jaynes, 1; G. T. Corfield, 2. Second best pure bred Holstein cow, G. T. Corfield. Second best cow any other breed, A. McKinnon. Best two-year-old heifer, W. P. Jaynes, 1; W. C. Brown, 2. Yearling heifer, W. P. Jaynes.

By R. Porter & Sons—Pair fat cattle, Thomas Marshall.

By C. E. Redfern—Best pure bred Holstein cow, H. Bonsall.

By J. M. Mutter—Best milch cow, F. Holmes.

By Matthews, Richards & Tye—Best cow, any breed, R. Wilson.

Sheep.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By J. M. Mutter, M.P.P.—Best pen, one ram and two ewes, pure bred, Major Mutter.

By Vancouver Island Flockmasters' Association—For pure bred ram, J. Musgrave.

By W. P. Jaynes—Pen three ewe lambs, R. McLay, 1; Major Mutter, 2.

By C. Livingstone—Three fat sheep, J. S. Shopland.

Ram lamb, Major Mutter.

Ram (pure bred Southdown), Major Mutter.

Ram (pure Oxford), J. Musgrave.

Ram (pure bred Shropshire), C. T. Trench.

Ram (pure bred Cotswold), J. Musgrave.

Ram (any other breed), J. Nightingale.

Two ewes (pure bred Southdown), Major Mutter.

Two ewes (pure bred—any breed), A. Drummond.

Pigs.

Pure bred boar, G. T. Corfield.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By W. P. Jaynes—Boar (any age), G. T. Corfield, 1; James Evans, 2.

By A. and W. Wilson—Brood sow, James Evans, 1; J. S. Shopland, 2.

Brood sow (with brood), James Evans.

Field Produce.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By Brackman & Ker Milling Co.—Bushel spring wheat, J. Menzies, 1; J. McPherson, 2; bushel fall wheat, J. Menzies; bushel barley, J. Menzies, bushel oats, J. S. Shopland; 1; J. McPherson, 2; bushel field peas, J. Menzies, 1; W. C. Brown, 2; bushel rye, W. C. Brown, 1 and 2; twelve ears Indian corn, A. Pimbury, 1; Mrs. May, 2; seed, J. Menzies.

Roots, Etc.

Six Swedish turnips, C. Livingstone, 1; H. Bonsall, 2.

Six turnips, any other kind, A. Bell, 1; W. C. Duncan, 2.

Six mangolds, long, C. Livingstone, 1; F. Maitland Dougal, 2.

Six mangolds, globe yellow tankard, H. Bonsall, 1; W. H. Lomas, 2.

Twelve carrots, white or yellow, A. Pimbury, 1; F. Maitland Dougal, 2.

Twelve carrots, long red, A. Bell, 1; J. McPherson, 2.

Twelve potatoes, late, A. Bell, 1; P. B. Johnson, 2.

Twelve potatoes, early, A. Bell, 1; W. Kingston, 2.

Three new varieties potatoes, A. Bell, 1 and 2.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By Lindley Crease—Potatoes, David Ford.

By Erskine, Wall & Co.—Burbank seedling potatoes, A. Bell. Kohl rabi, A. Bell. Onions, J. Menzies, 1; A. Bell, 2. Eschalots, Mrs. Holmes, 1; A. Pimbury, 2. Drumhead cabbage, R. McLay, 1; W. C. Duncan, 2. Cabbage, any other kind, W. C. Brown, 1; M. Edgson, 2. Early horn carrots, A. Pimbury, 1; M. Edgson, 2; Parsnips, A. Pimbury, 1; C. Livingstone, 2. Beets, F. Maitland Dougal, 1; W. H. Lomas, 2. Cucumbers, A. Pimbury, 1; A. Pimbury, 2. Vegetable marrow, W. H. Lomas, 1; C. Livingstone, 2. Squash, Mrs. Knight, 1; W. H. Lomas, 2. Tomatoes, P. Flett 1; W. Kingston, 2 Two vegetable marrow, W. H. Lomas, 1; C. Livingston, 2.

By H. Mansell—Tomatoes, P. Flett.

By C. H. Dickie—Collection of garden vegetables, A. Pimbury.

Fruits.

Collection (named) of Autumn apples, Theo. Trage; (unnamed), W. Ford. Gravensteins, W. Beaumont, 1; Mrs. Richards, 2. Gloria Mundi, W. Beaumont. Red pearmain, Mrs. Wellburn. Blue pearmain, G. G. Corfield. Any other variety of apples, J. C. Dwyer 1 and 2. Northern Spy, Jos. Richards. Baldwins, W. H. Lomas. Ribstin Pippin, A. Pimbury; (another variety), Percy Roberts. Grimes Golden, J. C. Dwyer. Canadian Reinette, Theo. Trage. Crabs, Mrs. Roberts.

Pears, Bartlett, W. H. Lomas, 1, James Nightingale, 2; (another variety), G. Hadwen; autumn pears, Mrs. D. Alexander, 1; T. M. Jackson, 2; winter pears, Dr. Dickson, 1; G. Hawden, 2.

Plums, best quart, Mrs. Morley, 1; William Beaumont, 2.

Peaches, Dr. Foot.

Quinces, Percy Roberts.

Water-melons, A. Pimbury.

Musk-melons, A. Pimbury, 1 and 2.

Citron-melons, A. Pimbury, 1 and 2.

Grapes, R. McLay.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By McGill & McDonald, Salem.—Twelve apples, twelve pears, and twelve plums (single varieties), Mrs. Alexander.

By E. Hutcherson, Ladners—Plate prunes, H. Birchall.

By Langley & Co.—Collection of fruit, A. Pimbury, 1; W. H. Lomas, 2.

By T. H. Nibben & Co.—Collection of winter apples, Mrs. Richards.

Poultry.

Turkeys—W. C. Brown.

...—G. T. Corfield.

...ks—R. E. Barkley, 1; Mrs. Kingston, 2.

...horn fowls—P. Flett, 1; A. Blyth, 2.

Spanish fowls—J. Richards, 1; K. Duncan, 2.

Plymouth Rock fowls—W. Flett, 1 and 2.

Any other kind of fowls—Mrs. Roberts, 1; W. Kingston, 2.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By McLennan & McFeeley—Plymouth Rock cockerell—J. W. Flett, 1; W. Kingston, 2.

Dairy.

Four pounds fresh butter put up for table use—W. C. Duncan 1; J. Richard, 2.

Cheese—T. A. Ward.

Loaf of bread, Miss McLay, 1; Miss Kingston, 2; Miss Richards, 3.

Home made wine, Mrs. Pimbury.

Jelly, Mrs. Dickson; currant jam, Mrs. A. Blyth; gooseberry jam, Mrs. A. Blyth; plum jam, Mrs. Richards; any other kind jam, Miss Edna Prevost.

Bottled cherries, Mrs. Charley; bottled pears, Miss Maude Wilson; bottled plums, Miss Pimbury.

Bouquet flowers (table), Mrs. Pimbury, 1; Mrs. Roberts, 2; arranged basket or vase, Mrs. Roberts.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By Major J. M. Mutter—Five pounds fresh butter, H. Bonsall, 1; Miss Jaynes, 2.

By Henry Saunders—Five pounds print butter, Mrs. J. McPherson.

By Weiler Bros.—Best loaf homemade bread, Mrs. McLay.

By M. & L. Young—Best loaf bread, by girl under 14, Miss Bonsall.

By J. Barnsley & Co.—Best collection potted flowers, Miss M. Wilson.

By H. Young (The White House)—Best cut flowers collection, Mrs Pimbury.

By A. Ohlsen—Best collection roses, Mrs. Ashdown Green.

By Major Mutter—Best plate Scotch scones, Miss Edna Prevost.

By Major Mutter—Best fruit cake (by unmarried ladies), Miss A. Jaynes; seed cake, Miss Kingston.

Ladies' Work.

Plain needlework, Miss Wilson, 1; Mrs. Maitland-Dougall, 2.

Quilt (patchwork), Mrs. Cook.

Stockings, Miss McGregor, 1; (also A. & W. Wilson's special prize).

Knitted socks, Mrs. Maitland-Dougall.

Knitted mitts or gloves, Miss Harris.

Crochet work, Miss Kingston (wool); Miss I. Blyth (cotton).

Knitting (any kind), Miss Kingston.

Girls under 14 years:

Plain knitting, Miss E. M. Costly; (fancy), Kuper Island school.

Crochet work, Miss May.

Knitted hose, Kuper Island school.

Pencil drawing, Miss Hilda Prevost.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

By Mrs. Bickford—Pieces of fancy work, Miss Keast 1 and 2.

By Major Mutter—Child's frock, Miss Hadwen; cotton or flax embroidery, Miss Hadwen.

During the afternoon races and other sports formed an attraction on the grounds. The events were well contested, and proved decidedly interesting.

THE CIRCUIT

Where Other Shows Are to Be Held During the Month Now Opening.

Fall shows will be held throughout the Province as follows:

Oct. 2 to 6—Victoria: B. C. Agricultural Association.

Oct. 3—Langley-Glenwood.

Oct. 3 to 5—Kamloops: Inland Agricultural Association.

Oct. 5—Surrey.

Oct. 6—Nanaimo Dairy, Agricultural and Horticultural Association.

Oct. 9 to 12—Westminster: Royal Agricultural and Industrial Association.

Oct. 9 to 11—Vernon: Okanagan and Spallumcheen Agricultural Association.

Oct. 11—Courtenay: Comox Agricultural and Industrial Association.

Oct. 16 to 18—Chilliwack Agricultural Association.

Oct. 18 and 19—North and South Saanich.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Coal Cargoes in Demand—Gossip of the Water Front.

The tug Lorne will probably be in some time to-day. The sea was too rough down at Astoria for her to attempt to cross the Columbia bar. The Lorne is under engagement to tow the ship Eaton Hall to Tacoma.

The Sadie Turple docked yesterday and commenced to discharge her skins.

R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., yesterday shipped 7,500 seal skins via the C. P. R. for London.

A number of sealing schooners are reported outside waiting for a favorable opportunity to come in.

The ships John A. Briggs, Sea King and India arrived at Nanaimo yesterday to load coal cargo.

The C. B. Kenny and Yosemite are loading Wellington coal.

The steamer Boscowitz is advertised to sail for the North on Tuesday.

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Str. Charmer	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Rosalie	"	"
" Yosemite	"	N. Westminster.

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"When I was one year old, my mamma died of consumption. The doctor said that I, too, would soon die, and all our neighbors thought that even if I did not die, I would never be able to walk, because I was so weak and puny. A gathering formed and broke under my arm. I hurt my finger and it gathered and threw out pieces of bone. If I hurt myself so as to break the skin, it was sure to become a running sore. I had to take lots of medicine, but nothing has done me so much good as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It has made me well and strong."—T. D. M., Norcatur, Kans.

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WANTS.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Apply 18 Scoresby street. se29-3t

WANTED—Light horse for two months; if suitable, might purchase. P.O. Box 797, Victoria. se29-3t

WANTED—A good 12-bore double-barrelled gun, cheap. Apply Y, Colonist office. se29 2t

WANTED—At Spencer's Arcade, ladies to do sewing. se29-3t

WANTED—At 81 Johnson street, ladies' and gentlemen's cast off clothing, boots and shoes. se27-1m

WANTED—Double express rifle; hammerless, modern pattern. Must be in good order and cheap. Address "Caribou," THE COLONIST office. se26-6t

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE—Candidates for entrance, third and second class certificates, prepared for examinations at moderate rates by two experienced teachers; parents called on and particulars furnished. D. Dallas, Victoria. se25-6t

AS advertised, good school. The De Lamonton system leads the world. Ladies call and investigate system dress cutting, with or without seams. Room 73, Five Sisters Block, Agents wanted. se19-1m

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TO LET OR LEASE.

FOR RENT—At a bargain—The Russ House, with bar, billiards and rooms furnished, to desirable party who can buy furniture. Inquire on premises between 2 and 4 p.m. se28 6t

TO LET—Furnished room, with use of sitting room; breakfast if desired; in private family, James Bay. Address H., Colonist office. se27-1m

TO LET—Two four-roomed cottages; rent $6 00, including water. One cottage, five rooms, bath, etc.; rent $8.00. Apply Mrs. P. Wilson, grocer, 185 Douglas street. se27-1m

FOR RENT or sale—To one or more parties, Gray's factory on Government street, for storage or stables; also one farm, 158 acres with improvements; one work horse. Apply 173 Government street. se26-1m

CORNER STORE TO LET.—One of the best corners in the city—corner of Johnson and Douglas streets; plate glass front; now occupied by F. Carn, jr.; possession given October 1st, 1894. Inquire of Frederick Norris or Wm. Craft. se18-12t

TO LET.—One or two furnished rooms in private family, with bath—or part of house, with kitchen. Apply L. Colonist office. se18-1m

TO LET—Good rooms and board, near the sea, James Bay. Apply 127 Menzies street. se2 1m

TO LET—Rooms and board; very reasonable terms if permanent; bathroom; five minutes walk from postoffice. 67 Kane street. se2-1m

TO LET OR LEASE—American Hotel, with 20 rooms and saloon license; bar and bar fixtures complete; central location. Apply 16 Trounce avenue, or Burnes House. ja5-tf

TO LET—Nine-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay; $18; water paid. Two 5-roomed houses, John street, $10; water paid. Ten-roomed house; hot and cold water; 2 lots; Garbally Road; $20. Two cottages, Pandora street, $10, water paid. Eight-roomed house, bath, Johnson street, $15.

TO LET—Furnished—Nine-roomed house; bathroom; hot and cold water, etc; two lots in garden; good situation; James Bay.

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All claims against this institution up to, and inclusive of, 30th September, are to be rendered not later than 6th October. A statement of account (if any) to accompany the same.

Address to HON. TREASURER, care of B. M. Yates, Secretary, 6 Bastion street.

Victoria, 26 h Septemb... 1.4. se27-1w

ADVERTISING AGENCY.

L. P. FISHER, Newspaper Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, is our authorized Agent. This paper is kept on file in his office. je8

ARCHITECTS.

JOHN TEAGUE, ARCHITECT, CORNER of Broad street and Trounce avenue Established 1862. fel

F. M. RATTENBURY, ARCHITECT, Legislative Block, Government Buildings, James Bay. fel

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1894

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ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

"ST. ANDREW & CALEDONIAN SOCIETY." Society meets in Caledonia Hall Blanchard street, on the first Friday in every month. Visiting brethren are invited to attend. E. C. Smith, Secretary. my4-1m

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TENDERS.

NOTICE.

TENDERS

will be received by the undersigned for the Sinking of a Shaft for the Union Colliery Company at Union, B.C., up to October 13th, 1894.

For further particulars apply to the Head Office at Victoria, or to the office at Union, or to R. Dunsmuir & Sons' office, Wellington.

All tenders to be addressed to the undersigned at the Head Office, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES DUNSMUIR,
se26-td President Union Colliery Company.

CITY OF VICTORIA.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Tender for Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on the 1st day of November, 1894, for the purchase of debentures of the corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C., amounting to $150,000, or its sterling equivalent at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the one pound sterling, in sums of $1,000 each or its sterling equivalent as aforesaid, payable in fifty years from the 1st October, 1894, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, with principal and interest payable as aforesaid, at the office of the Bank of British North America, either in London, England, New York, U.S.A., Montreal, Canada, or Victoria, Canada.

The corporation reserves to itself the right to redeem and purchase these debentures on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof at any time after twenty five years from the date of issuance of such debentures. The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 4½ per cent. from the 1st October, 1894, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of "The Water Works Loan By-law, 1894," with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land or land and improvements in the corporation of the City of Victoria.

The corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 18th, 1894. se19

NOTICES.

[L.S.] E. DEWDNEY.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia at Our City of Victoria.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

THEODORE DAVIE, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature:

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on Monday, the Twelfth day of the month of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable EDGAR DEWDNEY, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-seventh day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and in the fifty-eighth year of Our reign.

By Command.

JAMES BAKER,
se28-td Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

MORTGAGEE'S : SALE

of southerly fifteen feet of Lot 36, and the northerly half of Lot 32, Lime Bay, Victoria West, together with the dwelling house thereon erected and built, situate on the west side of Catherine street, in the City of Victoria, under the Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 13th day of September, 1889, executed by Julia Keffee and Auge Keffee, her husband, in favor of the Mortgagee, and registered at the Land Registry Office, in the City of Victoria, in Charge Book, Vol. 8, Fol. 318, No. 8 490B.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned are requested for the purchase of the above described property up to 12 o'clock, noon, of Saturday, the 13th day of October.

TERMS—Half cash; balance in one year, with 8 per cent. interest per annum.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Victoria, 11th September, 1894.

HEISTERMAN & CO.,
se25-td Mortgagee's Agents

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

ALBERNI.

Under the power of sale contained in an indenture of Mortgage, dated December 19, 1892, and registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, in charge book vol. ii, folio 677, No. 14005B, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of 20th November, 1894, for the purchase of a parcel of land containing 80 acres more or less, and being the south half of lot 91 Alberni District. Highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

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PULPIT AND PEW.

Many Specially Attractive Services Announced for To-day—Harvest Home Arrangements.

Opening of a New Methodist House of Worship—Anniversary Exercises at St. Paul's.

Almost every one of the many churches of Victoria announces for to-day some specially attractive service. The ingathering of the harvest is as usual made occasion for the appropriate decoration of many of the places of worship—where also festival services are of course arranged—and anniversary celebrations, the presence of visiting divines and the establishment of new congregations, make the day an important one where the harvest home services are not now to be observed.

At Christ Church cathedral the tasteful decorations remain in position from midweek, filling the whole building with fragrance and brightness, and the festival music of last Thursday will be repeated this evening. Never has the cathedral looked better than it does now in its garlands of green, interspersed with fruits of the orchard, glowing grain and beautiful flowers—"God's messengers of cheer and gladness to His children." The font is especially pretty, while all other sections of the sacred edifice show that skilful hands, guided by artistic tastes, have been at work. In connection with the evening service the following music will be given, with also a solo by Mr. Herbert Kent:

Processional Hymn—"Come Ye Thankful."
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Magnificat } —Clare in D.
Nunc Dimittis }
Anthem—"Ye Shall Dwell in the Land"—Stainer.
Offertory Hymn—"We Plough the Fields."
Recessional Hymn—"Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart."

The sermon in the evening will be by the Bishop, and in the cathedral as well as all the churches of the diocese special prayers will be offered during the day for God's blessing upon the New Westminster Synod, which convenes shortly to choose a bishop in succession to the late Bishop Sillitoe.

The annual harvest festival will also be held to-day at St. Mark's church, Boleskine road, the order of service being:

11 a.m.—Holy Eucharist; Adam's mass in "F," consisting of Kyrie, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei and Gloria in, Excelcis will be sung.
7 p.m.—Festal Evensong, with Procession.

The little church has been very nicely decorated by the ladies of the parish with grain, fruit and flowers, mixed with evergreens. The altar, vested in a rich white frontal, is the central feature. The several gradines at the back, on which stand the massive Eucharistic, Vesper and Extra-Festal lights, are almost hidden from view, as row after row of vases of choice flowers rise up to the central cross. The two standard lights at the east end and west end of the altar are tastefully trimmed with wreathing, as is also the sanctuary lamp which hangs in front of the altar. Great credit is due to the faithful band of workers who have devoted so much time to the work.

In the other Episcopal churches, the harvest festivals are not yet. In St. John's, where to-day the rector, Rev. Percival Jenns, will conduct all the usual services, the days set are Thursday and Sunday next. The floral decorations will be fully up to the high standard set by the ladies of the congregation in former years, and Mr. Grizzelle (the choirmaster) and Mr. Bridgman (the organist) promise a fine musical service.

At St. James' to-day, the preacher of the morning is Rev. Mr. Eckhirst, of Toronto, while Ven. Archdeacon Scriven occupies the pulpit in the evening; the harvest services are to be held about ten days hence. Only the usual services are announced for St. Paul's, where the festival date is October 14. Rev. Canon Paddon again takes all the services to-day at the Church of the Holy Saviour, Victoria West, while no special announcements are made for St. Luke's or St. Barnabas'.

At St. Andrew's R. C. cathedral, the order of services to-day will be as follows, good music being as customary made a feature of the evening:

8:30 a.m.—Low Mass and sermon by Rev. Father Laterme.
10:30 a.m.—High Mass and sermon by Rev. Father Nicolaye.
Sunday School at the usual hour.
7 p.m.—Compline and Benediction with sermon by Rev. Father Nicolaye.

At the Church of Our Lord (R. E.) Humboldt street, where the Bishop preaches morning and evening; and at the King's Road Mission, corner of Third street, the usual services will be held, Rev. G. C. King preaching both at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. to the Mission congregation.

Among the Methodists, the chief event of the day will be the opening of the new church in Strawberry Vale district, in connection with which services are to be held in the church at 10:30 a.m., and 2:30 p.m., Rev. James Turner of Victoria West, officiating in the morning, and Rev. Solomon Cleaver in the afternoon. The church is a neat little building facing the Wilkinson road, and situated on a lot 60x125 feet, kindly donated free of all cost by Mr. Luscomb. The church was built out of the proceeds of the Union Methodist Sunday schools' picnic to Sidney last Dominion Day, and now stands a creditable institution, free from all indebtedness. As has already been announced the church is to be one of those over which Rev. Mr. Ashland will preside.

In the Metropolitan church, Rev. Solomon Cleaver, M. A., the pastor, will take all the usual services, his morning sermon having for its subject "Adrift Without Knowing It," and the evening being "The Important Question." No special announcements are made for the Centennial church, the James Bay church, Victoria West or the Indian Mission.

At St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, services in connection with the third anniversary of the opening of the church are announced, Rev. W. Leslie Clay preaching at 11 a.m., and the pastor, Rev. D. MacRae, in the evening. The anniversary social under the direction of the Ladies' Aid Society will be held in the church tomorrow evening.

No departure from the ordinary programme is to be made to-day in the First church, Rev. Dr. Campbell. The pulpit of St. Andrew's will be occupied in the morning by Rev. D. MacRae, the pastor (Rev. W. L. Clay) preaching at evening service. Rev. T. H. Rogers will fill the pulpit of the Central church, James Bay, morning and evening, Rev. P. McF. Macleod preaching anniversary sermons at Wellington. Rev. R. G. Murison will conduct all services during the day at the churches in his charge—East Fernwood (St. Columba's), Spring Ridge (Knox church) and Cedar Hill.

In Calvary Baptist church, Herald street, the preacher of the day is the pastor, Rev. Thomas Baldwin, and the order of the services as usual. At Emmanuel Baptist church, Spring Ridge, special harvest home services will be held. In the morning at 11 o'clock the pastor will speak specially to the Sunday school, the subject of his discourse being "A True Story." At 2:30 the Sunday school will hold their annual harvest home festival, the programme consisting of recitations, singing and other exercises by the scholars. At 7 p.m. a special address to young people will be given on the subject of "Now and Then."

In the Theosophical hall, 28 Broad street, the evening address will be on the subject of "Brotherhood."

There will be the usual meeting in the Y.M.C.A. rooms this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

SISTER SOCIETIES.

Procession on Societies' Day and Other Attractions for Exhibition Week.

Next Saturday, which is Societies' day for the celebration, will have for its main feature a monster procession of all the different societies in the city. The organizations that have already agreed to take part and handed in their names to the general secretary are: Knights of Pythias, Sunset and Far West lodges; C. O. O. F., Loyal Dauntless and Fernwood lodges; S. O. E., Alexandra lodge; A. O. U. W., Victoria and Western Star; I. O. O. F., Peerless lodge; I. O. F., Court Fernwood and Court Cariboo; I. O. G. T., Victoria West, Triumph (Esquimalt), Perseverance and Pride of the Ridge lodges; A. O. F., Court Northern Light. The other city lodges will no doubt co-operate in the success of the day. The procession, headed by the B. C. B. G. A. band, will march from the market hall through the main business portion of the city and proceed to the grounds. Badges and regalia will be worn. Those in the procession will be admitted to the exhibition at half rate. Captain Warren, Dr. Lewis Hall and Sergt. J. W. Walker are the marshals elect. The hour for meeting is fixed at 12:30.

The A. O. U. W. have chosen Friday evening for opening their fine new hall on Yates street with a grand ball. The use of the hall has also been generously granted to the management who have charge of the approaching charity ball.

Hope lodge No. 1, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., will meet in Sir William Wallace hall on Thursday next to initiate members. So many candidates await initiation that this extra meeting had to be called.

Vancouver lodge No. 5 have decided to meet in the new A. O. U. W. temple on Yates street, commencing the second Friday in November.

Grand Master Workman Warren has officially authorized the members of the A. O. U. W. to wear their badges at the Societies parade on Saturday.

The Daughters of St. George have an entertainment for exhibition week. On Wednesday evening a grand operetta and scarf drill will be given under the management of Mrs. Lang at the Victoria theatre.

The Sons of England will leave Foresters hall at 1:30 this afternoon to attend the funeral of the late Brother Costello. The service will take place at the Reformed Episcopal church.

The Daughters of England contemplate giving another social and dance at an early date.

A banquet is to be held on Tuesday evening by the A. O. F. at the Hotel Victoria in honor of visiting delegates. This is also an attraction which will assist in making the celebration a success.

Court Northern Light No. 5,935 at its last meeting elected Bro. H. L. Salmon, P.C.R., as its delegate to the annual meeting of Columbia district, to be held in Victoria on Tuesday, October 2. The usual date for the meeting of the District A.O.F. is the second week in October, but to give the executive officers and delegates from the various parts of the province an opportunity of seeing the agricultural exhibition the date was changed.

The various I.O.O.F. lodges in the city will meet at 7:30 p.m. during the next six months.

Columbia lodge No. 2, on Wednesday evening, conferred the first degree on three brothers, and the second on thirteen, all members of Peerless lodge No. 33. The noble and vice-grands were re-appointed a committee to act on behalf of the lodge in the matter of Society day at the fair.

At the last meeting of Acme lodge the first degree was conferred on a number of the members of Peerless lodge.

To-morrow evening Peerless lodge meets at 7:30, when important business will come up.

In Peerless lodge, Friday, twenty-two new members were initiated. The lodge has now over a hundred names on its roll, and two weeks' time only now remains during which "charter" members can be brought in.

The "Companions of the Forest" is fast becoming one of the strongest ladies' societies in the city, having over 170 members. As Lady Aberdeen is a member of the order a reception will no doubt be given her by the ladies of B. C. circle when she visits Victoria.

HE WAS MURDERED.

Indian Policeman Cheam Peter the Victim of Foul Play—Important Clues Discovered.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 29.—(Special.)—The body of Cheam Peter, the Indian policeman who disappeared mysteriously last week, was recovered on Thursday morning by Provincial Constable Lister. The suspicion that Peter had been foully dealt with was, it appears, confirmed by finding the body. Death had been caused by a blow from a dull instrument, which fractured the skull. The body was found on a bar in the middle of the river opposite Cheam, where it had evidently been placed after the tragedy. Capt. Pittendrigh returned today from Agassiz, where he had been holding an inquest on the body. He reports that the post mortem examination made by Dr. Warwell showed the brain to be filled with clotted blood, and that where the weapon had struck the head the skin was beaten into a pulp. All the evidence available was taken, after which the inquest was adjourned until Tuesday. Constable Lister remained on the scene to follow up clues which may result in the capture of the guilty parties.

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Notice is also given that at the expiration of the time named the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they have not had notice at the time of the distribution.

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THE SALMON FISHERY.

Our Ottawa correspondent's interview with the Minister of Marine and Fisheries will be read with deep interest by the inhabitants of all parts of the Province. British Columbians generally realize the importance of the salmon fishery, and they are all desirous to see that means which are really effective be taken to preserve the fish. In this the people of British Columbia and Sir Charles H. Tupper are at one. No one doubts the earnestness of the Minister to preserve the fish from destruction. It is generally believed, too, that the means taken to prevent the over-fishing of the Fraser have so far been efficacious. This, we think, is clearly proved by Sir Charles Tupper himself. He tells us that as far back as sixteen years ago, when the pack was only 81,446 cases, gentlemen of intelligence and standing feared that, at the then rate of fishing, the "fish wealth" of the Province would be destroyed. As early as that time, too, fears were expressed that the offal thrown into the river would do the salmon fishery serious injury. The press of the day, too, asked that the "cannerymen be put down with a strong hand." Boards of Trade also in the succeeding years feared that the fishery would in the near future be exhausted. If the fears of the gentlemen who in those early days believed that the appliances used to catch the fish were too wasteful and the regulations too lax, were well grounded, there would not to-day be a single salmon in the Fraser River. But the salmon still frequent the river in vast numbers. There are old fishermen who say that, one year with another, their numbers are not appreciably lessened. This does not look as if the measures taken by the Government to restrict the fishermen and to keep up the supply of fish were ineffective. The facts, it seems to us, point to an exactly opposite conclusion. They show that the restrictive means used by the Government have been efficient, and that the hatcheries have been successful. The undiminished numbers of the fish, too, show that the practices of the canners have not been as injurious to fish life as many suppose. Anyone who saw the run of fish in 1893, and even this year, will have to admit that the abundance of salmon in the river is truly marvellous.

When everything is considered it is very evident that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries has no reason to be discouraged at the results of his own and his predecessors' efforts to preserve the Fraser River salmon fishery. And, after all, the differences between the canners and his Department are not nearly so great as is commonly supposed. The regulations are in the main approved by the canners and fishermen, and have, with the single exception of the disposal of the offal, been, we verily believe, more closely observed than fishery regulations generally are. The close time, the weekly cessation of fishing during the season, the regulations with regard to the size of mesh, the distance of the nets from each other in the river, and the licenses, are all approved, or, at any rate, are not subjects of complaint. The only point on which the department and the fishermen are really at variance, as far as our knowledge extends, is the disposal of the offal. As is seen by the interview this has long been, by persons who are not engaged in the fishery business, a cause of complaint. The canners hold that throwing the offal into the river is not injurious to the fish and is not productive of disease on shore. It will be recollected that the Hon. Mr. Higgins, one of the Commissioners and certainly not the least able or intelligent, was of opinion that the disposal of the offal had not been injurious to either the fish in the river or the people dwelling near its banks. It is observable, too, that none of the settlers near the river have prosecuted a cannery as a nuisance, which certainly would have been done had any of them been regarded by those living in its neighborhood as offensive and detrimental to their health.

It seems to us that it is not impossible to find out the truth about this matter. Have the practices of the canners hitherto been injurious to the fish or to people living near the mouth of the Fraser? This is a matter to be settled, not by the theories of persons who have never seen the Fraser, or by the predictions of well meaning men who have not made the salmon fishery and its conditions a study, but by an intelligent and an impartial investigation into the facts. Let the inductive method be used in coming to a conclusion on this subject and we venture to say that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries will have no reason to complain of the want of the support of the public opinion of the Province.

It is greatly to be regretted that circumstances did not permit the Minister to pay this Province a visit during the fishing season. He would have learned more from a few hours' personal observation on the river and in the canneries than he could from the representations he reads and hears from both sides in a year.

The Minister speaks of the "abuse and vilification" of which he is the object. Abuse and vilification are unjustifiable under any circumstances, and they are certainly a most ungrateful return to a Minister who is doing what he believes to be his duty zealously and conscientiously. As we have already pointed out, no one can reasonably and truthfully assert that the administration of the salmon fishery in this Province has been, or is, a failure. A comparison of the condition of the Fraser River as regards the number of fish that frequent it with that of the Columbia and other American rivers south of us will prove that it is the very reverse.

It was not to be expected that the canners and fishermen and the Department would be always in perfect accord. Misunderstandings and disagreements were to be expected as a matter of course. Men who believe that their business is interfered with unnecessarily and for no good purpose are apt to get angry and to speak unadvisedly with their lips, but when a dispassionate view is taken of the whole situation we are fully satisfied that there is no dispute between the department and those interested in the salmon fishing and salmon packing business so serious that it cannot be amicably and satisfactorily settled by judicious and conciliatory methods, and that, too, without any sacrifice of principle on either side.

A LITTLE TOO FAST.

It is astonishing to see the agility with which some newspapers jump at conclusions. The merest rumor, if it happens to agree with their notions, is treated as if it were an unquestioned fact; and a most imposing structure of argument is built upon the unsubstantial foundation. Some newspaper published what purported to be an interview with Mr. Massey, of the Massey-Harris Company, agricultural machine manufacturers, in which that gentleman is represented as saying that the changes in the tariffs of Canada and the United States will compel his company to remove their business establishment to the United States. The Eastern Liberal papers immediately began to write of Mr. Massey's alleged determination as if he and everyone else in his line of business had emigrated to the United States. But not one of them has gone yet, and we believe none of them will go.

By the revised Canadian tariff the duty on agricultural machinery is reduced from 35 per cent. to 20 per cent., but in the States agricultural machinery has been put on the free list. In that country some of the raw material used by the machine manufacturer is also admitted free. This material pays duty in Canada. Under these conditions Mr. Massey, if the interviewer expresses his views, believes that he will do better in the United States than in Canada. When he tries the experiment and succeeds it will be time enough to brag about men who have made fortunes under a protective tariff in Canada removing their business to where free trade in their particular lines of business has been established. The 35 per cent. has done so much for the Massey-Harris concern that it is likely that it will stay a little longer in Canada to see what 20 per cent. can do for it.

A DIFFICULT DUTY.

There are some people who think that almost any person, man or woman, who can read and write fairly well, and who has acquired a little book knowledge, will do for a teacher of children. It is impossible to calculate the harm that this low estimate of a teacher's qualifications causes. The material on which the teacher works is exceedingly delicate, and the harm thoughtlessly done it by an ignorant or an incapable teacher may be and often is irreparable. The following introductory paragraph of an address delivered before the College of Preceptors, London, by the Rev. Canon Daniel, shows with terrible clearness the difficulties of the teacher's function:

The critic who proposes to speak of the common faults in teaching has no lack of matter to complain of, for it is difficult to move a step without committing some fault or other. We may, for instance, teach a subject but not the child, or a child but not the subject; we may teach the right class of subjects in wrong ways, or the wrong class of subjects in right ways; we may do too much for our pupils or too little; we may teach the class as a whole and not the individual, or the individual and not the class; we may attempt too much or too little; we may use a method suitable at one stage of development in teaching children who are passing through a different stage; we may cultivate one side of a child's mind at the expense of another; we may, in short, commit mistakes in teaching anywhere and everywhere.

It may well be asked, who are sufficient for these things, who can engage in teaching without making the most serious mistakes and committing the most glaring faults? Certainly not the man or woman who has never given a thought to the importance of his or her duties, who enters the schoolroom in the morning with the determination to get through the day's work with as little exertion as possible, and who has only considered the position in the light of a means to earn a little money. We very much fear that the number of teachers who bear their responsibilities lightly, and who do their work prefunctorily, is very large. And the worst of it is very little else seems to be expected of them.

MINING EXPERTS.

The following abstract from an article in the New Science Review, by Major F. I. Ricarde-Seaver, F.R.S., Edinburgh, is interesting as showing how the ablest opinions by eminent men in the profession of mining engineering may be at fault:

Major Seaver glances for a moment at what he most aptly terms the wonderful little Dutch Republic of the Transvaal, whence the world is now deriving its principal supply of the precious metal. Ten years ago this territory was still practically regarded by Great Britain as "The Howling Wilderness." Some isolated and intermittent quartz reefs had been found, holding gold in fair quantities, but regarded as hardly workable under the conditions of transport and labor which then prevailed. The vast auriferous beds of conglomerate of the Witwatersrand had not yet been discovered, or more properly not recognized by experts as worthy the attention of capitalists or diggers. The great London house of Rothschild having heard of their existence, appealed to their United States correspondent to send them the best mining engineer in the country. Mr. Gardner Williams, who now so successfully directs the great DeBeers diamond mines at Kimberley, was chosen for the post. He visited the Transvaal, and traversed from east to west some of the finest grazing land in the world. He descended the few shafts then sunk in the quartz reef of Barberton and De Kaap, away on the eastern border. He examined the patches of alluvial found here and there in the valleys contiguous to these; and accustomed as he had been to the rich and extensive gold placers of California, he came away disgusted, marvelling at the credulity of the Old World bankers, and finally condemned the district. Then he wended his weary way across the veld, towards the west en route to Kimberley, taking the then recently discovered banket formation at the Witwatersvand on his way. Never in the experience of man had such formations been known to contain gold, and hence it was quite pardonable on the part of Mr. Williams to pooh-pooh them as auriferous. In fact he rode away exclaiming that it was not worth while dismounting to look at them. These once despised beds are today the source of untold wealth, and producing gold at the rate of $40,000,000 a year.

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THE CITY.

MR. BOGGS' advertisement through an oversight was kept in the COLONIST after he had withdrawn from the school trustee contest. Mr. J. R. McKenzie, another resident of Victoria West, is candidate for the position in his stead. Don't forget that the election for school trustee takes place to-morrow (Monday.

THE examination of applicants for enrolment as provincial land surveyors commences to-morrow.

THE B. C. Natural History Society hold their regular meeting to-morrow at the Provincial library.

THE young ladies sewing society of the Reformed Episcopal church will hold a bazaar in the school room of the church on November 1.

ONE vagrant, who assured the Court that he was trying to get work, made up the police court list yesterday. He was given another chance.

A MEETING of the Provincial Board of Horticulture is called for to morrow at the Department of Agriculture. Business of considerable importance is to be disposed of.

A REGULAR meeting of the Victoria Typographical Union No. 201 is to be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon. As business of the utmost importance is to be considered the attendance of every member is particularly enjoined.

YESTERDAY at 71 View street, the residence of the bride, Mr. A. J. Bertram was united in marriage to Mrs. Susan Bray, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Thomas Baldwin, of Calvary church. Mr. W. R. Buckmaster supported the groom, and Mrs. Wey and Miss E. Brown the bride.

THE St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society of this city have decided to celebrate the coming Hallow E'en on the 31st October with a grand concert. The committee in charge are the president, Mr. Robert Irving, Mr. J. Carmichael and Mr. J. G. Brown. Further particulars will be given as to who are to take part, and where the celebration will be held.

THE programme of the Service of Song to be given in the R.E. church, Humboldt street, on Tuesday evening will include a Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis by Barnby; anthems by Gounod, Vincent Novello, and J. V. Roberts, with solos by members of the choir; and vocal solos by Messrs. W. R. Higgins and George Jay, jr. Mrs. Higgins and Mr. Middleton will preside at the organ, and all will be under the superintendence of Mr. Greig.

THE election of a school trustee to succeed Mr. J. Stuart Yates for the unexpired portion of his term takes place to-morrow, the polling place being room 3, in the public market building, and the hours of voting from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The candidates are Mr. E. A. Lewis and Mr. J. R. McKenzie, Mr. Beaumont Boggs, who had announced himself as in the field, having discovered that he is technically disqualified, and therefore withdrawn.

AT to-morrow evening's meeting of the city council among other items of business the appended resolution will be introduced by Ald. Baker, who yesterday gave notice of his intention in this direction: "That the clause of the sewerage committee's report of the 17th instant relating to the work of the Douglas street sewer extension (which report was adopted by the council as amended at a meeting of the council held on the evening of that date) be and is hereby rescinded, and that the contract for the work be awarded to the lowest tenderer complying with all necessary conditions."

THE body of an elderly Chinaman awaits identification at the city morgue, whither it was removed yesterday by the police. The poor old fellow had from the appearance of the corpse been ill for some time, and there is no reason to suspect that death ensued from any other than natural causes. It is supposed that the old man dropped dead about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, the body was found lying on the sidewalk on Blanchard street, and still warm, a little later. No one has yet appeared to give the dead man a name, and it is thought that his companions will carefully keep away lest they be put to the expense of the interment.

SIMPLE cases of drunkenness predominated in the police court during the month now at an end, the record showing an almost entire absence of serious crime and not so very many misdemeanors. The list of charges dealt with is appended: Drunk, 56; violation of city by-laws, 15; supplying intoxicants to Indians, 5; in possession of intoxicants, 4; assault, 4; aggravated assault, 1; vagrancy, 6; keeping a common gaming house, 1; refusing to pay wages, 1; carrying a concealed weapon, 1; cruelty to animals, 1; embezzlement, 1; in possession of stolen property, 1; creating a disturbance, 1; theft, 3; highway robbery, 1; malicious injury to property, 1; and violation of the game act, 1.

THE Pacific Club was opened last night with a very interesting programme of ceremonies. The new club, a reorganization of the old Victoria, is now on a very substantial basis. Some 75 members are enrolled and enough applications have been already received to warrant the prediction that the membership will soon run over one hundred. The general objects of the club are set forth in the constitution, the opening paragraphs of which are: "That we are desirous of forming ourselves into a society or corporation for the purpose of social intercourse, mutual helpfulness, mental and moral improvement and rational recreation." The first trustees are Messrs. J. S. Yates, A. B. Gray, A Holmes, C. Hayward, Dixi H. Ross, Wm. Wilson, and Wm. M. Wilson. Mr. W. M. Chudley has been appointed secretary by the provisional directors. The rooms of the club have been refitted and refurnished in a very cosy and comfortable manner. The reading room is amply supplied with current literature, and the billiard and card rooms, to say nothing of the bar and dining rooms, show that creature comforts will not be neglected.

THE contract for the construction of the Koksilak-Jordan River trail has been awarded to a resident of Jordan River, Mr. George Weeks.

UP to last night the number of entries in all departments of the exhibition was 1,158, nearly double that of last year. In one class of the art department there are 48 pictures entered.

AT the popular concert to be held next Thursday evening at Institute hall, new songs will be the order of the day (or evening rather). The full programme will appear in Wednesday morning's issue.

THE annual charity ball in aid of the Jubilee hospital will be held in the new A.O.U.W. hall on Yates street on October 24. The building committee has allowed the ladies the use of the hall free of charge.

MR W. H. PERRY, the hardware merchant, son of J. B. Perry, of the new Queen's hotel, wishes it understood that he has no connection with the latter establishment and is devoted strictly to the hardware business.

R. S. PEARCE, of the United States Express Company, has just completed a flying visit to Victoria in search of one of several trusted employes of the company, who have of late took unto themselves cash—and wings. The guilty party was not located.

THE At Home held in Victoria West hall, Craigflower road, last night was a very pleasant and successful affair. An impromptu programme of music and other amusements contributed not a little to the enjoyment of those present. The proceeds will go to the talent fund of St. Paul's Presbyterian church.

ON account of the stormy weather only a few members of the canoe club turned out yesterday to search for the body of the late J. B. Carmichael. Those who ventured outside were unable to discover any trace of the missing man. It is probable that another attempt will be made by the club within the next few days should the weather prove favorable.

"THE Meeting of the Nations" is to be the title of a costume concert representing the various nationalities, under the direction of W. Edgar Buck. "The Prison Scene" and "Grand Duet," from "Il Trovatore," selections from the "Bohemian Girl," as also various national songs will be presented. The proceeds will be devoted to the Orphans' Home.

A. G. SMITH, D.A.G., D. M. Eberts, Q.C., Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C., A. L. Belyea, E. V. Bodwell and Gordon Hunter, with Superintendent F. S. Hussey of the provincial police, left this morning for Kamloops to attend the assizes, at which a number of most important cases will come up besides Crown business. Mr. Justice Walkem will preside. Chas. Wilson and L. G. McPhillips, Q.C., of Vancouver, and A. J. McColl, Q.C., Westminster, will also attend the assizes.

MR. G. A. RICHARDSON, proprietor of the Victoria dry goods house, the till of which was tapped on Thursday evening, has received a letter signed "G. M.," the writer of which avows himself to be the guilty party. "G. M." states that the door was left unlocked and he took the money as a "loan", which he will pay back some time. He also added that an answer addressed to "G. M.," Vancouver, would reach him. This latter is regarded by the police as a bluff. Mr. Richardson lost about $20.

THE customs returns for the month of September are as follows:

Duties collected	$ 57 680 42
Other revenues	5,238 72
Total	$ 62,919 14
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Total	$215,095 00
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THE prospecting company which has been at work for the McNeill Bay coal syndicate during the past summer has quit work for the season. The head office of the syndicate is in Nanaimo, but several Victoria business men are interested in the property. The tools and supplies at the McNeill Bay coal fields have been stored and nothing more will be done before next spring. Very little information as to the season's work has been made public. The property has been prospected to a depth of about 100 feet, and it has been given out quietly that an excellent seam of coal has been encountered.

THE provincial fire escape act comes into force to-morrow. It requires the owner, lessee or proprietor of a hotel or public building exceeding two stories in height to erect a permanent stairway or ladder of iron from all floors above the ground floor. This ladder or stairway must have handrails, and extend to within eight feet of the ground or sidewalk. It must be strong enough to sustain the weight of six full grown persons. Rope fire escapes are also to be kept in the rooms of each building situate above the ground floor. In each of the rooms of such buildings notices calling attention to the fire escapes must be posted.

MESSRS. D. D. Mann and T. G. Holt, who have been paying a visit to the Quesnelle, express themselves as being very well satisfied with what they saw of that section. They have had the Victoria Hydraulic Company's claims at the South Fork of the Quesnelle thoroughly examined by San Francisco experts. These grounds adjoin the Hobson claim, which has been proved to be very rich, and Mr. Mann says that so far as can be seen there is reason why the "Victoria" should not prove equally rich. "A railway," said he, "is greatly needed in that part of the world. It takes so long to look the country over that many people who might otherwise be induced to invest get discouraged when they see the difficulties which are in the way of development. Such a road would pay for itself in a few years in the increased value of property along the line." Negotiations regarding the purchase of the Victoria Hydraulic Company's claims are now in progress and will probably be concluded in a few days. Mr. Mann will take a trip into the Kootenay to look after some interests there, and Mr. Holt will remain to close up their business in this section.

YESTERDAY afternoon a sealer just home from a cruise, suddenly resolved he would have a bath. To guard against an after chill he fortified himself with several doses of spirits and then marching into Vigelius' bathing establishment stated his wants. He was conducted to a bath room and the water turned on. Left to his own devices, he evidently did not quite understand what the bath was intended for, as he calmly lay down on his back in it, and went to sleep, the water gradually submerging him. He was rescued a few minutes later in an unconscious condition, and with considerable difficulty brought back to life.

QUITE a number of partnerships were registered in the court house yesterday, to comply with the provisions of the provincial statute passed last session entitled "An act respecting partnership." It provides that in the case of firms formed after the coming into force of the act (July 1) they must be registered with the registrar of the County court within three months after the formation of the firm, and in the case of firms existing at the time of the coming into force of the act, they must have registered within three months from that date. A penalty of $100 fine is provided for failure to comply with the requirements of the act. Consequently those firms existing on July 1 have to be registered by October 1 to escape the penalty.

THE Board of Trade intend to collect in their reading room a permanent exhibition of samples of ore with the assays; the woods of the province in the rough and finished states; also fish, grain, fruit and other natural products; and some specimens of manufactures. It is desired to make the collection as complete as the limited space will permit and to keep it up to date, so that visitors to the city and capitalists may get as good an idea as possible of the resources of the province. The board will be glad to receive suitable contributions, with the fullest information in regard thereto, and the name of the donor, all of which will be given publicity. The reading-room of the board is now well supplied with reading matter. Among the latest additions are the customs tariffs of all nations, the Century, Harper's, Scribner's, Cosmopolitan, North American Review, Punch, Illustrated London News, Frank Leslie's Weekly, Harper's Weekly, Iron Age, Colliery Engineer, Scientific American, Engineering and Mining Journal, Truth, Vanity Fair, Weekly London Times, Bradstreet's and New York Shipping List. The intention is to advertise the rooms extensively in steamers and other places inviting strangers coming to the city to visit them. By this means it is hoped to benefit the province by giving people a correct idea of its resources.

THE MIMIC STAGE.

Another Busy Week Opening at the Victoria —The Swedish Ladies' Quartette.

Another busy week for theatre-goers opens to-morrow evening, when the Lawrence Hanley and George Osbourne combination begin a two nights' return engagement, presenting "The Player," with change of prologue each evening. To those who had the pleasure of witnessing the excellent production of this play, with "Hamlet" as a prologue, last Monday evening, this will be pleasing news, and the company will no doubt play to large business. The prologue on Monday evening will be "Romeo and Juliet," the title roles being taken by Mr. Lawrence Hanley and Miss Edith Lemmert respectively, and on Tuesday evening "Othello" will be presented as the prologue, followed each evening by "The Player."

Wednesday evening the children's operetta "Cupid Among the Flowers," will be presented under the auspices of the Daughters of St. George. This was produced at the Victoria theatre a few weeks ago to a large house, and will no doubt repeat its success.

On Friday and Saturday evenings lovers of good music will have an opportunity of hearing once more the celebrated Swedish Ladies' Quartette—late from Stockholm, London and Paris. The quartette comprises Miss Jennie Norelli, Miss Minna Norelli, Miss Emy Tourbie and Miss Rina Hoving. Miss Norelli, the first soprano, is an accomplished soloist possessing a highly cultivated and sympathetic voice and has the honor of having been with the Royal Opera of Stockholm, Sweden. The second soprano, Miss Minna Norelli, in addition to a voice of remarkable sweetness, is a talented pianist of rare ability. Miss Emy Tourbie, the first contralto of the quartette, is also a soloist whose voice is of an exceptionally rich and mellow quality. Miss Rina Hoving possesses a fine contralto voice of great depth and purity of tone. The prices for this engagement have been fixed so low as to insure packed houses for the whole engagement. For the evening performances the whole house is thrown open at fifty cents with no extra charge for reserved seats, gallery 25 cents. On Saturday afternoon a grand matinee will be given at 2 o'clock, for which the price of admission has been fixed at but 25 cents, gallery 10 cents.

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THE FISHERY REGULATIONS.

Views of the Minister as to Their Operation and the Requests of This Province.

Opinions Invited From the General Public—Mr. Wilmot on the Offal Question.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—The controversy which has taken place during the past few weeks relative to the operation of the fishery regulations in British Columbia, has been closely watched by the officials of the marine and fisheries department. To-day the COLONIST correspondent had a lengthy interview with the minister, Sir C. H. Tupper, and obtained from him a detailed statement of the views of the department on this important matter.

Sir Charles had evidently been closely following the question, and in reply to questions put to him, he made the following statement:

The recent agitation in British Columbia respecting the restrictions upon fishing, following, as it does, similar evidences of hostility to efforts made by my department to preserve as a permanent advantage to British Columbia the fishing industry, brings sharply up a question of vital importance. There is no country in the world where rivers have sustained unrestricted fishing for commercial purposes for any long period. It is equally true that necessary restrictions upon fishing are unpopular, both with fishermen proper and the employers of fishermen. Fortunately, in many parts of the British dominions a healthy public opinion sustains the enforcement of restrictions of this kind. Indeed, without it the best regulations in the end amount to little and may as well be abolished.

Hatcheries for the propagation of fish are ridiculous if not accompanied by regulations and guardianship over the waters supplied from them. In British Columbia the difficulty on the part of the department is made greater because the people interested in taking out of the waters as many fish as they possibly can sell are among the leading citizens, and are men of local influence.

The duty has fallen on me to make an effort to preserve the fish wealth of these rivers, so that the future of British Columbia may be at least as attractive as her present. Just now the press teems with abuse because I am endeavoring to enforce the regulations and the Fisheries Act, though neither have been seriously questioned in parliament. I can see in this, as well as the timidity of some of my officers, such an evidence of sympathy with the fishermen and canners, and at the same time hostility to fishery laws, that unless I find signs of approval elsewhere in the Province, it may be my duty to advise my colleagues that all efforts on the part of my officers have failed, and that under the circumstances the fishery officers should be dispensed with and the hatchery closed.

Passing over the abuse that has been showered upon myself and those under me, I have given careful attention to all that has been written or said upon this important subject. I always feared I could not obtain the approval of the canners. It was not reasonable to expect it; not because of any peculiarity on their part, but simply on account of their immediate interest in this free commerce. That I had, however, every reason to expect support from the people as a whole, the records of my department show. In 1876 the fishery laws of Canada were made applicable to British Columbia.

At that date 7,247 cases of fish were packed on the Fraser river, where in 1889, 308,122 were put up. In 1877 the pack reached 55,387 cases, and the press demanded that fishery legislation should be rigorously applied.

What were the complaints?

1. Waste of fish.
2. Deposit of offal.
3. Nets blocking the fish on their way to spawning grounds.
4. Absence of close time.

One paper observed:

"A dozen hatcheries would be unable to provide for the exhaustion caused by a repetition of the criminal folly that some of the companies were guilty of last summer. Great Britain, Eastern Canada, California, Oregon, all lament the rapid decay of salmon fisheries. Why should not their loss be British Columbia's gain by inducing the adoption on Fraser river and elsewhere throughout the province, of the simple and effective rules that experience has proved will preserve fish wealth from complete destruction."

When canning men were few, public opinion was so strong that the press asked that they should be "put down with a strong hand."

In 1878 the pack on the Fraser was 81,446 cases, and Senator Cornwall, Mr. Roscoe and Mr. Dewdney, representatives in the House of Commons, appealed in writing to the minister of fisheries to make regulations to protect the fisheries, and prevent impending depletion of the British Columbian waters, and they repeatedly demanded the enforcement of the act respecting the deposit of offal. In 1881 the pack had risen to 142,516 cases on the Fraser. Senator Cornwall, having become governor of the province, brought to the attention of the Canadian government this subject of protecting the fishing industry.

It is impossible to believe that in 1881 there were as many canners on the British Columbia board of trade as there are now, because this body then demanded restrictions upon fishing. They also had a high opinion of Mr. Wilmot at that date.

Attention was called to the enormous development shown by the value of canned salmon rising from $305,000 in 1880, to $875,000 in 1881, and it was asked that "firm steps" be taken to protect the rivers from over-fishing. The board of trade added:

"Compared with the Columbia and Sacramento, the rivers of this province are small and their capabilities as fishing grounds are very limited. On the smaller streams utter exhaustion of the fish would soon ensue from over-fishing, while in the Fraser and Skeena rivers the supply would be so diminished as to seriously injure the industry, which, under proper protective measures, should not only continue as a means of employment to a very large portion of our population, but be developed on a far more extensive and permanent footing."

Respecting the recent request to extend the fishing season to the end of August, I call attention to the language of Governor Cornwall in 1882:

"But last summer this close time was done away with on the Fraser river between the 10th day of July and the 25th August, during, in fact, the whole time in which the principal and most valuable run of fish continues. So enormous was the run of fish that a number of boats (which under ordinary circumstances would have been employed) were thrown out of work, a smaller number being able to secure all the fish that could be utilized by the canneries, and consequently it is quite probable that a perfectly sufficient number of fish for breeding purposes ascended to the higher reaches of the river. But this would only be the case in occasional years, and it does seem to me that it would have been better to allow the fuller measure of protection to the salmon to remain in force instead of giving way to representations of those who can only be looked upon as interested parties. I have been assured by the very efficient inspector of fisheries for the province (Mr. Anderson) that doing away with the close time was a tentative and not a permanent measure, but I must say I am distinctly opposed to a tentative measure which can and probably will ultimately prove disastrous in its effect."

The board of trade in 1882 suggested that an infringement of regulations should be followed by confiscation of fishing appliances, besides severe penalties. Licenses were to cost $20 or $25 for each establishment. The pack on the Fraser river has risen from 7,000 cases in 1876, to 474,230 cases in 1893. The value of the fisheries and fish caught in the Province of British Columbia has risen from $104,697 in 1876, to $4,443,963 in 1893. The department of marine and fisheries is making an honest effort to enforce the laws and regulations, and a general burst of indignation has occurred, stirred up, chiefly, because I refused to extend the fishing season prescribed by law, and because I have allowed the consequences of violating the laws to fall upon the heads of the guilty.

No one could have studied more earnestly than I to ascertain how far it was prudent to give effect to the views of those immediately concerned in the fisheries. I examined all the reports I could find. I sent an officer of great experience to British Columbia. I afterwards appointed a commission, containing two local men. Their report and evidence laid on the table of the House of Commons for a year.

I consulted an expert brought from England, where he had served with distinction. I drafted regulations, consulted every local and federal representative from British Columbia, boards of trade and the public generally. I framed regulations and they were adopted early this year. No criticism reached me till the end of the fishing season. I declined to extend this season or to make the regulations ridiculous and embarrass the trade. Abuse and vilification is now the order of the day. No one supposes I desire to oppose public opinion in this troublesome business; and I have the satisfaction of knowing that my officers' views have not been questioned on the floor of the House of Commons. I propose now to find out what those not immediately interested in canning and fishing in British Columbia really want. If the fishermen are to have their own sweet will, so be it! I would esteem it a great favor if those not immediately concerned in fishing would give me the benefit of their opinions. I can in all fairness claim this before they sit in judgment upon my course."

The Minister then asked your correspondent, in the event of his observations being published, to give also the following memorandum prepared by Mr. Samuel Wilmot, and dealing with many of the points which have been referred to in newspaper articles and correspondence during the past few weeks. Mr. Wilmot, in his communication to the Minister, says:

"Incorrect and misleading statements are made regarding the policy pursued by the department of marine and fisheries for the protection of the salmon and preservation of the fishing industries.

"Fault is found because an extension of the fishing season for sockeye salmon was not given by the department to the canners who applied for it. In referring to the fishery regulations of March 3, 1894, which before being finally established were submitted for criticism and inspection, and for approval or otherwise, to the canners, to the public press and to most of the leading and influential persons in the province, including the members of the Commons and of the local legislature. These draft regulations, with some slight alterations, were almost invariably assented to as being well adapted to serve the interests of the canners and fishermen generally, and at the same time maintain the salmon fishing industries of the Fraser river and other waters in British Columbia; wherepon these regulations became law.

"There were two periods named in these regulations when the "sockeye" salmon should be taken, namely: From July 1 to August 25; and from September 25 to October 31, each of the days inclusive. It had been given in evidence previously by canners, and by information obtained from others that, after the 25th August the sockeye salmon "run" would be generally over, and after that date these salmon would not be fit to can; and for this reason the 25th August was fixed as the closing of the fishing for sockeyes, in order to conserve the fishing industry, and also to prevent any inferior qualities of Canadian canned salmon being put upon the home and foreign markets.

"The year of 1893 was particularly noted for an immense catch of salmon in British Columbia rivers, being over fifty per cent. greater than any previous season in the history of the canning industry. The value of canned salmon put up in 1893 amounted to $2,916,990, when in 1892 it was $1,378,631, making the extraordinary increase in 1893 over 1892 of $1,538,359. The canners in the face of this asked for a further extension of the fishing season for 1893 beyond the time established by law. This extension, however, by the determination of the Minister to uphold the regulations, and to conserve the fishing industries of the province, was not conceded.

"An annual demand for extending the fishing season beyond the time established by law has become stereotyped with the cannerymen and their agents, no matter whether the salmon "run" may be more than half as large again as the previous year—as it actually was in 1893—or even when the "run" is reported to be "enormous," as in 1894, as quoted by the leading commercial periodical of the Dominion, the Journal of Commerce, and by other reliable authorities also. This demand for extending the legal period in which salmon can be taken, namely, the 25th August, may in a measure be accounted for this season from another statement made in the Journal of Commerce, that an increase of one shilling per case on prices had been offered by London houses for the Fraser river catch of salmon in 1894.

Another statement is made in the article published in British Columbia on the 28th ultimo which must be incorrectly given. It is said, "that of the 2,000 licenses issued, one fourth of the whole number were given to Japanese." It is difficult to comprehend how this could be, especially as the regulations read that, "No license shall be granted to any firm, company, or person unless they are (1) British subjects, (2) bona fide fishermen, (3) actual residence of the Province, and (4) the actual owners of the nets, boats and fishing gear for which the license is issued." Under these circumstances it seems almost incredible that the fisheries officers would grant 500 licenses to Japanese.

"Yet another peculiar statement is made by your correspondent in this issue which reads thus: 'The law governing offal is a snare and delusion. It is a well known fact that no offal of any description should be deposited in the rivers, yet the government has taken no means to have their evil abated, but persecution. It would be more generous and paternal if the government would devise some method to effectually get rid of this fish-offal, and the serious loss and trouble to canners, and the danger of epidemics caused by crowded communities forced to drink these tainted waters.'

"Whilst our correspondent's views on this offal question are no doubt correct as regards the baneful effects from it to the river, by tainting the water and causing disease amongst the inhabitants, it would appear to be extremely difficult to understand on what grounds the government should be asked to be sufficiently 'generous and paternal' to do the dirty work of these private companies on the Fraser and other rivers in British Columbia. It means that the state should relieve these companies from a work which the law and humanity demand from them for disposing of the refuse matter made at their canneries, and to ask the inhabitants of the country to bear the expense connected with carrying it out.

"Why should the government institute means, at heavy expense, to relieve these cannerymen from properly disposing of the thousands of tons weight (to speak in plain English), of fish-guts and refuse matter which they annually cast into the rivers, contrary to law, from their packing houses, to the injury of the fisheries and the health of the inhabitants along the rivers where these factories are located?

"At the commencement of this work of canning salmon in B.C., it was not so extensively carried on and the inhabitants were not so numerous as at the present time, and the injurious effects to be felt from casting offal into the rivers were not then experienced to such an extent as to cause alarm. But with the enormous strides which the canning industry has reached at the present day, and with the greatly increased populations on the Fraser river, this offal question has caused dissatisfaction and much alarm amongst the several communities interested for the healthful state and general prosperity of their neighborhoods.

"Whilst the law, which is a statutory one, had been in existence for many years, the enforcement in a new country like British Columbia with no special complaints then made regarding its violation, it was not pressed by the department. But when pressure was brought to bear as to the injurious effects from the enormous quantities of fish-offal and polluted matter being indiscriminately cast into the rivers from the greatly increased number of cannery establishments, action had to be taken.

"To carry this out without immediate inconvenience to the canning industries, timely notice covering some years was given to the parties interested, that the statutory enactment regarding the disposal of offal from the factories would be enforced, but instead of a compliance with the law and of the timely notice given to make the necessary preparation to properly dispose of the immense quantities of offal and refuse matter made at the canneries, the proprietors, with barely an exception, took no heed of the matter and steadily pursued their course in violating the law. The consequence has been that, to sustain the majesty of the law, in some cases prosecutions have been instituted and penalties inflicted, and as warned in the licenses, the licenses of the guilty ones were cancelled.

"Arriving at this state of things and notwithstanding the leniency given to the canners and their agents, to make preparations by which the law might be upheld, a persistency is shown not to do so, and propositions are now advanced by the canners to the effect that the government should, at its expense, erect oileries or crematories and convey their polluted matter from the several canneries to these establishments, and thus perform a work at the public expense which devolves by law upon the individuals and companies engaged in these private enterprises of canning salmon in British Columbia.

"A proposition of this kind carries with it its own refutation; but for a passing remark in reference to it and admitting for the moment that the government were to become the servants of the B.C. canners and perform the work legitimately belonging to all proprietors of manufacturing establishments, to clean up and dispose of the offal, refuse matter

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NOTICES.

No. 236.

BY-LAW.

A By-Law to Enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $150,000 for Water Works Purposes.

Whereas it is expedient and necessary to raise a sum of money for extending and improving the supply of water of the water works of the City of Victoria to the inhabitants thereof, and for that purpose to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said city the sum of $150,000;

And whereas it will require the sum of $7,734 to be raised annually by rate for the payment of the new debt and interest;

And whereas the whole ratable land and improvements or real property of the said corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll for the year 1894, is $15,559,370.00;

And whereas it will require an annual rate of one half of one mill in the dollar for paying such new debt and interest;

And whereas this By-law shall not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in Council.

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $150,000 currency (or sterling money, at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling), and to cause all sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $150,000, either in currency (or sterling money at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling) as may be required, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall bear date the 1st day of October, 1894, and shall be made payable in fifty years from the said date at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly, at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the debentures and coupons.

Sec. 5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said debentures and the interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

Sec. 6. For the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of $6,750, and for the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the debt at maturity, there shall be raised annually the sum of $985.

Sec. 7. The said annual sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned shall be raised and levied in each year by a rate sufficient therefor on all the ratable land or improvements or real property in the Municipality of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 8. It shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council from time to time to purchase any of the said debentures, and such debentures shall be so expressed as to entitle the said Council to redeem and purchase the same on paying the amount thereof and the interest due theron at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof, at any time after twenty-five years from the date of issuance of the said debentures.

Sec. 9. This by-law shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, and amendments thereto, and shall take effect on the 1st day of October, 1894.

Sec. 10. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as the "Water Works Loan By-law, 1894."

Passed the Municipal Council the 27th day of August, 1894.

Received the assent of the electors the 11th day of September, 1894.

Reconsidered and adopted and finally passed the Council this 11th day of September, 1894.

[L.S.] JOHN TEAGUE, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 11th day of September, A. D., 1894, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court of British Columbia within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

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"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 29th March, 1894. fe10-td

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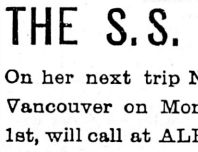

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se22-2w ROBT. IRVING, Secretary.

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= 8.04	= 3.08	Russell's	4	77	= 12.20	= 7.56
= 8.14	= 3.16	Esquimalt	4	74	= 12.10	= 7.48
= 8.39	= 3.36	Goldstream	11	67	= 11.45	= 7.28
= 9.14	= 4.05	Summit Siding	20	58	= 11.10	= 6.59
= 9.34	= 4.27	Shawnigan Lake	28	50	= 10.50	= 6.37
= 9.44	= 4.37	Cobble Hill	31	47	= 10.40	= 6.27
= 9.57	= 4.49	McPherson's	35	43	= 10.27	= 6.15
= 10.07	= 4.59	Duncan's	38	39	= 10.17	= 6.05
= 10.22	= 5.12	Somenos	43	35	= 10.12	= 6.00
= 10.28	= 5.19	Chemainus	46	32	= 10.02	= 5.51
= 10.48	= 5.32	Oyster Bay Siding	52	26	= 9.36	= 5.32
= 11.00	= 5.49	Nanaimo	59	19	= 9.15	= 5.15
Ar. 11.50	= 6.22	Wellington	73	5	Dc. 8.34	= 4.42
Dc. 11.55					Ar. 8.25	
Ar. 12.14	Ar. 6.31				Dc. 8.10	Dc. 4.30
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THE FISHERY REGULATIONS.

Continued from page Six.

and debris of all kinds made in the manufacturing of their goods, what would prevent, with such a precedent given to the B.C. canners, all other manufacturing establishments in Canada from demanding from the government to carry away all refuse matter made qy them?

This wise provision of the statute to prevent the offal of fish being cast into rivers is strongly advocated by the aboriginal Indians of British Columbia. It is noticed in one of the letters in your issue of the 29th ultimo that, whilst some severe attacks are recorded as having been made against the policy of the fisheries department of Canada, a redeeming statement was made by an Indian chief, who strongly censured both the canners and the government on this offal question, by saying: 'They were both wrong, as the canners wanted to throw the guts into the river, and the government wanted the guts and heads of salmon emptied in the salt water, where seven miles from shore we get our nets filled with stinking guts, and when the tide flows in it carries the guts back into the river again. * * * The Indians fished salmon long ago; they did not throw the guts in the water; they threw them on the land, and that is where they should always be put. We ask the government not to allow the guts to be thrown in the water fresh or salt.'

"In your correspondent's article in the issue of the 29th ultimo, over the signature of 'D. J. Munn,' who is feeling recently the effects of the law which he has persistently violated for years past, Mr. Munn arrogates to himself the position of a dictator to the government as to what should be done in the interests of the canners, by which they may obtain a special privilege for themselves which is not permitted in any other part of the Dominion, viz: to be freed from the operations of the statute which forbids the offal of fish or other deleterious substances being cast into rivers frequented by fish, etc.

"Another extraordinary proposition is put forth by this writer, which he calls a 'moderate and reasonable one,' that the government should take from the public funds a sum of money which he alleges to be $34,774 from the fisheries revenues of Canada, and appropriate it annually in carrying on or bonusing manufactories to utilise the refuse and fish offal made at the canneries in British Columbia. This would mean, according to Mr. Munn's calculations, that a sum of $34,774 should be taken annually from the people of the country to relieve the canners from the work incumbent upon them by law, to dispose of the offal from the salmon put up in their canneries in suce a manner as not to be thrown into and pollute the river to the injury of the inhabitants and the fisheries of the river.

"It is somewhat strange that Mr. Munn had not added to his proposition that the government take a further sum out of the public funds to be used in catching and cleaning these salmon for the several canning eatablishments, in order that the cannerymen might derive just so much more profit from their establishments and save themselves from the expense and responsibility consequent upon the hiring of a great number of fishermen, Indians, klootchmen and Japanese workmen usually employed to perform the dirty work caused by cleaning and packing vast numbers of salmon at the canneries.

"Mr. Munn quotes again from figures which he says he took from the last annual fisheries report, giving the revenue from the B.C. fisheries at $40,621. From this amount he asks that $34,774, which he calls a surplus over expenditure, should be expended in the erection and annual maintenance of manufactories, to utilife the fish offal and refuse made from the several canneries on the Fraser river. He furthermore says that the benefits that would flow from the government doing this would leave in the hands of the department the means of effectively removing the present causes of complaints so continually made by the cannerymen. And furthermore, it would relieve these canning kings and their comfortable commission agents and brokers from an alleged difficulty which they are said to labor under in prosecuting a business which Mr. Munn asserts is at best 'hazardous and uncertain,' and the crowning part would be a happy millenneum between the canners and the department of fisheries, with peace and harmony all along the lines, should Mr. Munn's self-conceived propositions be entertained.

"It will be well to look back a few years and see the position held by the canners on the Fraser river. Before 1890 they asserted as of right that they should hold almost the exclusive privilege of fishing in that river, as against the native fishermen, the incoming immigrant fishermen and other inhabitants of the province; and even when the first break was made in this monopoly they insisted upon and succeeded in establishing the number of licenses to fish on the Fraser river at 500. Of this number they claimed 350 to be divided amongst themselves, allowing the remaining 150 to be given to fishermen and freezers of fish on the river. This unequal division of the great fishing privileges on the Fraser river was held to be such a monopoly in the hands of the cannerymen as to prevent the ordinary fishermen, as well as other citizens of the province, from partaking of the benefits from the fishing wealth flowing past their doors, and a general outcry for redress from this state of things was heard. An investigation was ordered, which reported this state of things regarding their inequality of fishing privileges and described also the wanton waste of fish in the canneries, and the vast amount of polluting matter cast into the river from the canning process. Further dissatisfaction arose amongst the cannerymen and a commission was asked for. This was granted by the appointment of a royal commission in 1891, consisting of three gentlemen, two of whom were prominent leading residents in British Columbia. A lengthened and thorough investigation was made by these commissioners into the fishery mutters and fishery regulations of that province; a voluminous report was prepared and submitted to the government, which was adopted, and a code of regulations was framed therefrom and established in March, 1894.

"The former limit to canners of twenty licenses was retained, but the fee of $20 for each license was reduced to $10. Further privileges were given than formerly existed, by granting fishing licenses to all applicants who were bona fide resident British subjects. Companies or individuals engaged in freezing, shipping and curing salmon were entitled to a limit of seven licenses each; and furthermore, every bona fide resident fisherman in the province should be entitled to obtain one license each. This division of fishing licenses was most satisfactory to all concerned except the cannerymen, who urged for more than twenty licenses for each of their establishments.

"It will therefore be seen that, whilst the canners were given the same number of licenses as formerly, the fee was lowered one half, and upon the supposition that the numbers of canning factories in operation in 1894 are the same as in 1893, the cannery proprietors will have pocketed amongst themselves by this generous concession made by the fisheries department, a bonus for 1894 of no less a sum than $8,000 in hard cash. Yet Mr. Munn in his wrathy ebullition of feelings when in the hands of justice for violations of the fishery regulations, writes, 'That the fishermen and canners of this province are taxed in the way of license fees to an extent out of all reason higher than the fishing industries of the other provinces, and that this tax is unequal and unjust. What kind of people are we if we tamely submit to such a bleeding of our industrial strength?'

"Mr. Munn is not content with the concession of some $8,000 to himself and his brother canners in one year, and asks for the whole revenue derived, not only from the canners themselves, but also from the freezers, shippers, traders, curers of salmon and the individual fishermen, including settlers and farmers, none of whom make these 'thousands of tons' of fish offal to pollute the river like the canners. But he wants the whole fishery revenue obtained from whatever source from the citizens of British Columbia to be devoted to building and maintaining manufactories for taking care of and relieving the canners from all expense and responsibility that may be required from them under the statute to properly dispose of the fish offal and other refuse matter, which they so largely make at their factories, which they pollute the waters with to the great detriment of the province at large.

"If the scheme propounded by the canners of British Columbia for utilising the fish-offal from their packing establishments is to be of such profit to the government, then surely it would be equally profitable to the canners themselves to enter into the speculation, particularly with the greater facilities at their hands for carrying out such a work. And why should not these cannery gentlemen apply this sum of $8,000, which has so unexpectedly dropped into their hands by the fifty per cent. reduction of the license fees paid by them in all former years? In addition to their cash in hand deposit of $8,000, have they not the profits of the unprecedented salmon catch of 1893, which was more in value by upwards of fifty per cent. than in any previous year of the canning industry in British Columbia?

"Mr. Munn says if the government were to take the offal from these canneries and relieve them from all expense consequent upon legally disposing of this vast quantity of refuse matter, 'it would remove a handicap and hindrance to the prosecution of their business, which is at best hazardous and uncertain.'

"Does it show evidence of the industry being 'hazardous and uncertain' when these canning companies with their commission agents and brokers are held by general report of their fellow citizens to be the 'moneyed kings' of British Columbia? Is there a record in any other part of the world where salmon are taken more easily, more cheaply or more numerously than on the Fraser river? A cannery will run only a few months in the year, when the men are paid off, and no further expenditure of any account for the year is required. The sockeye fishing season lasts from five to seven weeks, during which time one licensed boat will catch upon an average, taking one year with another, between 6,000 and 7,000 salmon; in some cases 10,000 and 11,000 are taken. Such is the record shown to have taken place previous to 1892, which has not decreased since, as the catch in 1893 was greater by fifty per cent. than during any previous year; and that of 1894 is from present accounts above that of 1892. This, with the increased applications annually for licenses and additional canning establishments being built every year, does not show that the canning industries of British Columbia are 'handicapped or hindered' by the governmental regulations, nor does it show that the business is at best 'hazardous and uncertain.'"

CUT IN ORIENTAL RATES.

Why It Was Caused—How It Applies—Forced by Keen Competition.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—Merchants who are interested in the China and Japan trade have been disturbed by rumors that they are being discriminated against in favor of Eastern men. This report is denied by the Pacific Mail people, who claim that it costs $10 more a ton to ship canned goods from Chicago to China than it does from San Francisco; such is the story told by a merchant. The cut in rates it is claimed has been in force since the sailing of the Peru. Before that time canned goods were shipped at the rate of $12 a ton measurement. On the Peru the rate was reduced to $6 a ton by weight, which amounts to almost $5 a ton measurement. The Canadian Pacific and the Northern Pacific first made the slash to capture the Chicago trade, and the cut had to be made by the Pacific Mail and Occidental and Oriental lines. It is asserted by the latter companies that the rate from San Francisco is the same for Eastern as for local shippers.

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DAY WORK ON THE SEWER.

TO THE EDITOR:—Please allow the correction of a wrong impression concerning the merits of contract and day work and, in answer to Ego, of the 27th inst., would state on the authority of our City Engineer that wherever comparisons can be made between the two, since the present Street Commissioner took charge, has been without exception in favor of day work.

On Rockland avenue, in particular, the work was done much cheaper and with greater satisfaction than could have been done by contract. On Russell street, rock was taken out of a trench close to a garden fence, where the greatest care had to be exercised, for $1.88 per yard which would have cost by contract $4. The work on San Juan avenue, done by day labor, over-ran the lowest estimate by a small amount, but extras were included which would if done by contract have brought the amount fully up to the actual cost by the day, but even this work was not done under Mr. Wilson, who would have made a different showing.

It is not generally understood that there was only $30,000 at disposal for street work, bridges and sidewalks for 1894 with inroads for other purposes made in that amount; being only $5,000 more than the council of 1893 spent in a few weeks in cleaning up the streets after years of neglect, and it will take two years or more to get them back to where they were before the roads' natural feeder was sold, namely the gravel pits at Spring Ridge. Seeing that the city has in its street commissioner a competent man, it will be my aim to have all public works put as far from the reach of the council as possible, and under competent supervisors with full power to hire and discharge men, and a graded scale of wages adopted so that our older men can get employment for what they are worth and a good man what he can earn and with such management the city can in no way get better value for its money.

W. J. LEDINGHAM.

"ONE FARE."

TO THE EDITOR:—Has it ever occurred to the city council or those who are running the fair that the extortion practised by the city railway in charging 10 cents to the Willows is likely to "queer" the whole exhibition. Fancy a family of say five paying 50 cents to get to the fair and another 50 cents to get back to town! It is an undeniable fact that according to their charter the city railway are compelled to carry a passenger anywhere within the city limits for 5 cents, and yet our city council have not got the backbone in them to keep the railway company to their bond. It is not generally known that the city limits extend to the Foul Bay road, which is a few yards short of the fair grounds, and people who ride that distance can (if they have enough grit in them) defy the railroad to collect more than five cents. The merchants of Victoria have worked to make the fair a success and it seems a pity that no understanding has been come to with respect to the single fare to the grounds. Only to-day it cost me 30 cents out and the same amount back for self and two assistants when going to arrange my exhibit. The charter of the company is certainly liberal enough, and the merchants of Victoria should insist on their rights. KICKER

AWARDS AT THE EXHIBITION.

TO THE EDITOR:—Having in view the experience of former years, I wish to draw the attention of the managers of the exhibition to a serious drawback in the matter of awards. If an annual exhibition is to be a success it goes without saying that the awards should be made strictly according to merit, and such farces as "honorable mention" should not be given to everybody indiscriminately—good, bad and indifferent. I have in my mind a sample of last year's awards; one exhibit plainly showed that much time and pains had been taken to make a neat display of really good work, and just next to it was a collection of plainly lower grade work simply "fired" into position, and both were awarded a diploma (save the mark) of "honorable mention." It would in such cases be more just to all concerned for the judges to simply let the exhibits speak for themselves and throw away the bits of printed cardboard that do duty for diplomas. EXHIBIT.

THE SEWERS.

TO THE EDITOR:—Will anyone say by whose orders bad bricks are being used in the construction of the sewers, instead of good concrete as intended by the engineer of the system? MERCATOR.

September 29, 1894.

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Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 35 of the "Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1894," the Municipal Council hereby declares the keeping of pigs and poultry in a building situate on the east part of Lot 661, Johnson street, in the said city, a nuisance and dangerous to the public health, and hereby orders that the pigs and poultry now being kept in said building be removed from the said building and lot by the owner or occupier thereof on or before the 4th day of October next, and that in case of default by the owner or occupier to comply with this order within such period of five days, the Council hereby further orders that such removal of the said pigs and poultry shall be done by the Sanitary Officer of the Corporation at the cost of such owner.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, Sept. 26, 1894. se27

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Notice is hereby given in pursuance of a certain indenture dated 25th October, 1892, made between the Westminster & Vancouver Tramway Company and the Montreal Safe Deposit Company as Trustees, that tenders will be received by the undersigned at his office, in the City of New Westminster British Columbia, up to noon of the 24th day of November, 1894, for the purchase of the said Tramway and all the property of the said Tramway Company comprised in said indenture.

The Westminster & Vancouver Tramway Company's lines of tramway extend throughout the city of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, and between that city and the City of Vancouver.

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GORDON E. CORBOULD,
Solicitor for the Montreal
Safe Deposit Company

New Westminster,
10th August, 1894. au11-92t

NOTICES.

$250 REWARD.

A reward of two hundred and fifty dollars will be paid by the Provincial Government for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who on Saturday, the fifteenth instanc, on the Vancouver and New Westminster wagon road, shot and killed Fie Mow, a Chinese vegetable seller.

By command.
F. S. HUSSEY,
Superintendent of Provincial Police.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 21st, 1894. se22-10t

$400 REWARD

In addition to the reward of two hundred and fifty dollars offered by the Superintendent of Provincial Police on behalf of the Provincial Government, the Chinese Benevolent Society of British Columbia offers a further reward of four hundred dollars for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who on Saturday, the fifteenth instant, on the Vancouver and New Westminster Wagon Road, shot and killed Fie Mow, a Chinese vegetable seller.

WING KEE,
Secretary Chinese Benevolent Society.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 21, 1894. se25 7t

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

*Nelson	Monday	10th September
*Donald	Monday	17th September
Clinton	Thursday	26th September
Richfield	Monday	24th September
Kamloops	Monday	1st October
Vernon	Monday	8th October
Lytton	Friday	12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	19th November
Victoria	Tuesday	20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	27th November

*Special Assizes adjourned from the Spring by Mr. Justice Walkem and now fixed for these dates. au16

NOTICE

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.
Dated Victoria, Sept. 1st, 1894. se2-td

NOTICE

The Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
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Dated Victoria, Sept. 1st, 1894. se2-td

LAND REGISTRY ACT.—Subdivision No. 5 of Suburban Five-Acre Lot VIII., Victoria City.—A certificate of indefeasible title to the above subdivision will be issued to Maurice Humber on the 19th day of November, 1894, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 10th August, 1894. au15-3m

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the municipality of the City of Victoria that I require the presence of the said electors at Room No. 3, Public Market Building, Cormorant Street, on Thursday, 27th day of September, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them as a member of the School Board of Trustees for Victoria City.

The mode of nomination shall be as follows: The candidate shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the day of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination.

And in the event of a poll being necessary such poll shall be opened at the abovenamed room, Public Market Building, Cormorant street, on Monday, October 1, 1894, of which all persons are requested to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, Wednesday, 19th September, 1894.

W. R. BULL,
Returning Officer.
se20

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Pandora Street, between Government and Broad, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
September 15, 1894 se15-tf

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Broughton Street, between Broad and Douglas, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
Sept. 10, 1894. se11-tf

NOTICE.

In City Pound, one bay horse, star on face, brand H on left shoulder, will be sold by auction at City Pound, on Friday, September 28, at 12 o'clock noon, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date.

ANDREW SHAW,
Poundkeeper.
Victoria, Sept. 25, 1894. se26

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"	Germanic	Oct. 10
"	Teutonic	Oct. 17
American Line	Berlin	Oct. 3
"	New York	Oct. 10
"	Paris	Oct. 17
Red Star Line	Noordland	Oct. 3
"	Waesland	Oct. 10
Allan State Line	Nebraska	Oct. 12
"	California	Oct. 26
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American Line	Ohio	Sep. 29
"	British Princess	Oct. 6
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Commencing Aug. 25th, passengers for Trail Creek, Nakusp, New Denver, Revelstoke and all points on the Canadian Pacific Railway, will leave Spokane on Saturdays at 7 a. m., connecting at Northport with steamer (same day) at 1 p.m.

Passengers by steamer from above points arrive in Spokane same evening.

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER
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On and after March 22nd, 1893,
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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1894

NOTE.

Changes of advertisements must be handed in not later than 6 p.m. in order to insure insertion the following day.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Sept. 29, 1894.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m.,	51°	Mean 52°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	50°		
9 a. m.,	53°	Highest 61°	5 a. m—Calm.
1 p. m.,	59°		1 p. m.—20 E.
5 p. m.,	56°	Lowest 48°	9 p. m.—Calm.
9 p. m.,	53°		Rain—0.00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer CHARMER, from Vancouver—Rev F B N Norman Lee and wife, W Williams, W A Dier, C H Hicks Beach, Miss McDonald, Mrs Simpson, A H White, Bishop Perrin, Dr Milne, A L Ryals, Mrs Wheeler, J C McLagan, jr, J C Gill, Jas Mitchell, J P Clarey, Mrs J Hartney, C J Lowen, L G Henderton, A Jullich, G Howe, C R King, Mrs Cavalsky, H H Kalin, Miss Connolly, J Nevin, A Barker, R A Cunningham, Mrs Caldwell, S J Bonnser and wife, F C Gamble, J McKenzie, Miss Innes, J S Clute, Ir, and wife, J Chadwick, W Thomson, D Murray.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Miss Gabie, Miss Lettie Jones, L W Williamson and wife, John Jones, E A Cushing, F B Moulton, Robt Purser, P Carleson and Mrs Ballentine.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—R Huston, L A Wright, J Coffin, J W Cosgrove, E Gowdy, T L Sutton, Chas McIntyre, F Minks, K C Flarbone, A Brookshank, G A Morphy, Mrs Jas Shaw, Geo C Fisher, J E Bland, D W Corbin and wife, C E Robbins, Wm Shields, J E Miller.

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Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—A & W Wilson, Matthews, R & T, A B Erskine, H S M Co and P Kennernell.

DIED.

COSTELLO—At his residence, cor. James and Randall streets, on Sept. 27th, E. Costello, a native of San Francisco, aged 38 years, of dropsy.

Funeral will take place on Sunday at 2:30 p.m., and Reformed Episcopal church at 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

PERSONAL.

S. M. Robins, Nanaimo, is a guest at the Driard.

Robt. Grant and wife, Comox, are guests at the Oriental.

J. C. McLagan, jr., of the Vancouver World, is in the city.

J. S. Clute, jr., and Mrs. Clute are paying the Capital a visit.

George A. Morphy (of Schultz & Morphy) returned from a visit to Port Townsend last evening.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin was a passenger home from the Mainland by last evening's Charmer.

Rev. F. B. N. Norman-Lee, chaplain to H. M. Forces, and Mrs. Norman-Lee, Halifax, N.S., are at the Driard.

Alex. Urquhart, Comox, is visiting Victoria for the purpose of settling up the estate of his brother, the late John Urquhart.

Dr. G. L. Milne, F. C. Gamble, James Mitchell and W. A. Dier returned home from the Mainland by the Charmer yesterday evening.

F. Richter and wife, of Osoyoos, returned from San Francisco yesterday, having nearly completed their bridal tour. They are guests at the Oriental.

J. D. Gordon of Salmon Arm is visiting Victoria. Among the reasons for the trip is the presenting of a petition to the government for the establishing of a school at Salmon Arm.

Second Assistant Simpson, of the Victoria Collegiate Institute, will leave for San Francisco to-day. He will personally attend to the publication of a book. J. N. Muir will temporarily fill his place at the institute.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

You may need something in the way of Down Quilts, Blankets, &c., during the coming month. You will find it to your advantage to call at Weiler Bros. *

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The Interstate Fair.

For the Interstate Fair at Tacoma, the steamer City of Kingston has made a round trip rate of $5.70, including two admissions to the Fair.

Tickets on sale every Tuesday and Friday, from August 14th to October 30th inclusive, with final limit of twenty days from date of sale.

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The Arlington hotel, Seattle, re-opened as a first-class $2 per day house. Headquarters for British Columbians. B. C. newspapers on file. J. H. A. LYNCH, Manager.

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ONE DAY'S GOOD SPORT.

Victoria's Senior Lacrosse Team Has a Nice, Restful Day at Vancouver,

While the James Bays Capture the Intermediate Championship of the Province.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 29 —(Special) — To-day's match between Vancouver and Victoria was more than a practice game for the lacrosse champions. Seven games were scored in an hour and thirty-nine minutes, and six of these fell to the visitors. It was a nice restful game for the team from over the gulf. The Vancouvers deserve credit for playing every scheduled match in the series before they hung up their sticks. Harry Senkler acted as referee, and his prompt, just decisions nipped any tendency to rough play in the bud.

In the third game Charlie Cullin's stick got tangled up with Campbell's legs, and Campbell got a free throw; in the fifth game Suckling's crosse came violently in contact with Macnaughton's head, and Suckling was relieved. With these exceptions the game was very clear.

Spain's absence was badly felt, and without exception the visitors played all around the home team, the only brilliant work for Vancouver being done by Suckling, Quigley and Ken. Campbell.

The visitors not being checked closely enabled them to give very pretty exhibition plays to the spectators. McNaughton and Eckhardt did some marvellous dodging, and in the last game the Victorias zig-zagged the rubber from stick to stick right across the field and through the flags.

With perhaps the single exception of E Quigley, J H. Senkler has made the best referee in the lacrosse field this summer, and if the association had men of his nerve, perception and firmness, at all matches, this season would have been better for lacrosse in British Columbia.

SUMMARY.

Game.	Won By	Scored By	Time.
1	Victoria	Macnaughton 1	4 min.
2	Victoria	Eckhardt	3 "
3	Victoria	Macnaughton 1	4 "
4	Victoria	Macnaughton 1	11 "
5	Vancouver	Quigley	7 "
6	Victoria	Macnaughton 1	15 "
7	Victoria	Macnaughton 1	1 "

AND NOW FOR THE RUBBER.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.
Victoria	8	6	2
Westminster	8	6	2
Vancouver	8	0	8

JAMES BAYS ARE CHAMPIONS.

That lacrosse in Victoria has a bright future was made very apparent to the gathering of enthusiastic citizens who saw the James Bay team play for and decisively win intermediate championship honors on the Caledonia grounds yesterday afternoon. The Ninetieths of Vancouver were the opposing team, and right worthy opponents they proved, for though the score stood four goals to nothing it did not by any means represent the comparative merits of the contestants. The match commenced shortly after three o'clock, when the teams lined up as published yesterday, thus:

James Bays		Ninetieths.
C Schnoeter	Goal	W. Copp
W. Greenfield	Point	W. Miller
W. Smith	Cover Point	A. Matheson
Geo. Snider, W. Bland, W. Stephens	Defence Field	H. Bower, E. Miller, T. Dinsmore
J. W. Murray	Centre	W. Short
E. Marshall, J. Bland, F. Schnoeter	Home Field	F. Wright, C T Diamond, T McDougall
J. G. Miller	Outside Home	T. Levi
F. Smith	Inside Home	W. Boultbee
W. Clark	Fie'd Captain	J Quann
S. Matson	Umpire	J. Bates

The referee was George Tite, who has just returned after a prolonged visit to the East, and was accorded a hearty round of applause as he appeared upon the field.

The teams seem to be very evenly matched in weight, being made up with few exceptions of juniors in years as well as in their standing as players. There were a few old boys, however, and one of these, Boultbee, of Vancouver, early in the first game met with an accident in a hot encounter about the Victoria goal, and laid down with a painful cut across the nose and extending under the right eye. He was soon up again and the play continued with the varying fortune which had characterized it from the start until after four minutes' suspense Marshall batted the ball through and secured the first goal for the Bays.

The second game started within a few minutes, Boultbee in the meantime having gone off, as his hurt affected his sight for the time being, and, the rest of the team being moved up, J. H. Diamond went on in the defence field. The Ninetieths had rather the advantage of the play in this game and three times appeared destined to score—first from a hot straight shot, then out of a hard scrimmage close to goal, and next from a bit of clever passing. Fortune decreed otherwise, however, and after 16½ minutes' play F. Smith shot the second game for James Bay.

Both teams showed an improvement in their play in the third game, which was a splendid exhibition of lacrosse, fast and lean, with close and faithful checking. The Ninetieths' new man, J. H. Diamond, who towered high above his speedy and clever little check, Marshall, began persistently whacking the latter with his stick, and the referee noticing this blew his whistle and warned the offender. The warning was not heeded, however, and in a few minutes Diamond was ordered off for the game for a deliberate repetition of the assault. Thus left with eleven men to their opponents' twelve, the Ninetieths increased their efforts, their captain shouting himself hoarse in his fervent exhortations to "Levi" to "get there now," and to the team generally to "put it through with a rush." F. Smith again made a winning shot for the Bays, after about 25 minutes' play.

The fourth game went the way of its predecessors, Bland scoring in 12½ minutes. Notwithstanding that it was now an impossibility for them to win, the visitors played with undiminished energy, and their defence earned and received round after round of applause for the manner in which they acquitted themselves.

The twenty-two minutes remaining of the playing time were exhausted without another goal being scored, though both sides worked hard. The teams lined up and cheered each other in regulation form, and a match quite as interesting as any played here this season came to an end.

The James Bays, now the proud holders of the intermediate championship and winners of the gold lockets presented by the Victoria Lacrosse Club, were very warmly conplimented upon the distinction they have achieved as the result of a great deal of faithful practice throughout the season. Their most formidable opponents have been the Stars, also of this city, which can now establish a claim to having the two best teams of juniors in the province, something to be proud of when it is remembered that Westminster, Vancouver and Nanaimo all point with just pride to their representative juniors who have taken part in the interesting series of matches closed yesterday.

SUMMARY.

Game.	Won by	Scored by	Time.
1	James Bays	Marshall	4 min.
2	James Bays	F. Smith	16½ min.
3	James Bays	F. Smith	25 min.
4	James Bays	Bland	12½ min.

THE WHEEL.

ENTER WITHOUT DELAY.

Entries for the cycling events of Tuesday in connection with the Agricultural Association's exhibition must all be in by to morrow noon, in order that the handicaps may be fairly arranged. The officers of the day anticipate that the meeting will be a very pleasant one.

CAPPED BY A CANUCK.

WALTHAM, Mass., Sept. 28. — Harley Davidson, the Canadian crack Class A rider, reduced the Class A half-mile record, flying start, paced, this afternoon, making the distance in 57 1 5. He covered half a mile, standing start, in 1.00 1 5. A. Whorter, Waltham, made a two mile, Class A, unpaced record, flying start, in 4 55 1 5. The best previous time was 5.00 1-5.

HUNT CLUB.

THE SEASON AUSPICIOUSLY OPENED.

The first run of the season came off yesterday afternoon, the hare leaving Stadacona at 2.05, and the hounds half an hour later. The hare, Mr. L H. Webber and assistant, laid a very good course. Near home the course was lost and seven or eight of the hounds turned back home. With a bit of hunting the course was found again, and after a good run the hare, Mr. Webber, was caught at the top of Fort street by Messrs. Dunsmuir, F. Pooley and G. Peters, the only hounds coming in at the finish.

FOOTBALL.

THE RUGBY SEASON OPENS.

The Victoria Rugby Football Club opened their season yesterday afternoon with a practice game between teams selected on the ground by Messrs C. Ward and J. Fraser. The local club has some promising players, and everything points to a formidable team to represent Victoria this season. Regular practice games will be held every Tuesday and Thursday during this month.

THE GUN.

THE LAY OF THE PHEASANT.

To day is the first of the pheasant season, and these grand game birds which for the past few weeks have been positively insulting to the hunters, secure in the protection of the Game Act, are reported now to be hastening away on a holiday vacation to the north, which leads the humble poet to again break forth into song:—

Said the cock unto the hen
Do you see these hunter men
We've sassed with such impunity
While the weeks have sped away—
I've a letter from the town,
From a lawyer of renown,
That the law's no longer with me,
We must try another lay.
So pack your Saratogas,
Your rain proof and your stogas,
And we'll winter at Cape Commerell
Till the danger wears away.

—*And they did!*

HERE AND THERE.

Up to September 8 the following English batsmen had made 1000 runs and over in county matches in England: Brockwell (Surrey), 1091; J. T. Brown (Yorkshire), 1143; and A. Ward (Lancashire), 1067.

A Clever Writer.

Grace Livingston Furniss in her tales of Nantucket life has introduced story readers in a quaint, witty fashion to types of New England life that are unique and picturesque. So far she has had this field to herself. The Nantucket vernacular has been attempted by a few, but none has succeeded like this writer in charming our literary palate.

In the last year Miss Furniss has devoted her pen to the lucrative work of playwriting. She believes that it has a wonderful future for women, as few have entered it as a profession. It has been said of her plays by critics they show originality of conception and powerful treatment in the execution. Her plots are clever and the dialogue bright and natural.

It is not generally known the author of "A Box of Monkeys" is in her twen-

GRACE L. FURNISS.

ties. She is tall, with a wealth of hair coiled on top of a proud little head and fastened with a jeweled pin. Miss Furniss spends her winters in New York. Her social position is one of the best by reason of a long line of illustrious ancestors. She is seen little in society, as she believes social dissipation means death to ideas.

The dainty authoress and her talented mother entertain liberally during the summer months at The Moorings, one of the handsomest cottages on Nantucket island. Every man, woman and child hails her advent with delight, for she is beloved by all. Many friends has she among the old captains. They not only excel in telling yarns of a salty flavor, but possess an inexhaustible fund of dry humor and sarcasm which would put a town bred cynic to the wall. Miss Furniss has a genuine admiration for them and frankly admits they are often material for her bewitching stories.

MAUD JAMES CHILTON.

When woman suffrage carries the day this fall in Kansas, and women cast their ballots for members of the legislature, and ex-Senator John J. Ingalls wants to be a senator again without the "ex," the lady voters will probably not forget that in 1867 he called woman suffrage "an obscene dogma." Ingalls, however, refused at that time to debate the question with Susan B. Anthony. He seemed to be afraid of the women.

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THURSDAY, OCT. 4—CANADA'S DAY.—Lacrosse Match and other events.

FRIDAY, OCT. 5—CHILDREN'S DAY.—Grand Procession of School Children and Chorus of Five Hundred Children's Voices at the Grounds—Sports and Games for the Little Ones—Horse Racing.

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For all other information in regard to entries, space for exhibits, etc., apply to

DR. G. L. MILNE, President B.C. Agricultural Ass'n, Victoria.
JNO. LAMBERTON, Superintendent, Victoria.
C. E. RENOUF, Secretary B.C. Agricultural Ass'n., Yates Street, Victoria,
BEAUMONT BOGGS, General Secretary Citizens' Committee.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE TO SOCIETIES.

All members of Societies wishing to take part in Society Day at the Fair will assemble on Saturday, October 6th, at 12:30 o'clock at the Market Hall, where the Marshals will arrange the order of march headed by the Band of the B.C.G.A. All members of societies in the parade will be admitted at 25 cent rate. The following lodges have agreed through their delegates to join in the parade:

Sunset Lodge No. 10, K. of P. R. F. John, Geo. Watson.
Far West, No. 1, K. of P. P. J. Hall, Geo. E. Moss.
Loyal Dauntless No. 177, C.O.O.F. F. LeRoy Wm. Lee.
Fernwood, C.O.O.F. R. Carter, B. Cooper.
Alexandra No. 116, Sons of England, C. H. Winter, J. Naukwell.
Victoria No. 1. A.O.U.W., C. Steers, J. D. Warren.
Western Star No. 7, A.O.U.W., W. Sommerville, Trakey.
Victoria West Lodge I.O G.T. A. Perdue, R. W. Semple.
Triumph Lodge I.O.G.T. G. C. Phillips, G. Garland.
Perseverance Lodge No. 1, I.O.G.T. Wm. Scovill, Lewis Hall.
Pride of the Ridge Lodge I.O.G.T. A. F. Matthews, A. W. Carter.
Northern Light, A.O.F. J. P. Hancock, J. Wilkes.
Court Fernwood No 1292, I O F. A. W. Carter
Court Cariboo No. 743, I.O.F. A. E. McEachern.
Peerless Lodge No. 33, I.O.O.F. G. C. Howlson, W. K. Tulloch.

Additions can be made to this list by application to the general secretary.

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se28-3t J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.

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se28-3t J. R. McKENZIE.

ELECTORS OF VICTORIA.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I am a candidate for election for School Trustee at the coming election.

Your influence solicited.

se23-7t EDWARD A. LEWIS.